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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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BOSTON, September 27, 1979

Petition of Boston Edison Company for approval and authorization by the Department of Public Utilities of the issuance and sale from time to time of not more than 300,000 shares of its authorized Common Stock having a par value of ten dollars (\$10) per share to the Company's Employee Stock Ownership Plan; the net proceeds from each such issuance and sale to be used for capital expenditures for extensions, additions and improvements to the Company's utility plant and properties or to the payment of obligations of the Company incurred for such expenditures.

Upon the foregoing petition
~~the Commission of the~~ Department of Public Utilities will hold a public hearing at its hearing room
Leverett Saltonstall Building
#1210 State Office Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston 02202, on Tuesday
the 16th day of October, 1979 at 9:00
o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication
once at least
hereof / 14 days prior to said date in the Boston Globe, Boston Herald
American and Quincy Patriot Ledger

by registered mail
to serve a copy hereof/at least 14 days prior to said date on

the Mayors and City Clerks of the Cities of Boston, Cambridge, Chelsea, Everett, Newton, Quincy, Revere, Somerville, Waltham and Woburn and on the Chairmen of the Board of Selectmen and Town Clerks of Acton, Arlington, Ashland, Bedford, Bellingham, Braintree, Brookline, Burlington, Canton, Carlisle, Concord, Dedham, Dover, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Lexington, Lincoln, Maynard, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Milton, Natick, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Reading, Sharon, Sherborn, Southboro, Stoneham, Sudbury, Wakefield, Walpole, Watertown, Wayland, Wellesley, Weston, Westwood, Weymouth and Winchester.

and to make return of service and publication at the time of hearing.

By order of the Department,

CHRISTOPHER C. RICH
Secretary of the Department of
Public Utilities

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Notice of a public hearing by the Dept. of
Public Utilities on Oct. 16, 1979 at 9 a.m.
at 100 Cambridge St., Boston, re: petition
of Boston Edison Co. for approval and author-
ization of the issuance and sale of stock.

In City Council,

October 15, 1979

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