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TO: Robert W. Healy, City Manager

FROM: James T. McDavitt, License Commission Chair *James T. McDavitt*

RE: Awaiting Report #27: Enforcement of Noise Ordinance and Measure The Noise Level from the Industrial Air Conditioners on Massachusetts Avenue.

DATE: January 18, 1991

Upon receipt of the foregoing request for report in mid-October 1990, our investigation showed that some residents who live at 195 Green Street were being bothered through the night by an air conditioner at the Check Cashing Store, 522 Massachusetts Avenue, in Central Square. At our request, the Center's manager, Elisa Pina, and the Center's owner, Ed Franco, ceased the air conditioner's operation each night at 8:30 p.m. No complaints have been received by this office since the air conditioners stopped operating after 8:30 p.m. The Check Cashing Store was very cooperative. It appears the store's employees were forgetting to turn off the air conditioning at closing time (8:30 p.m.) or the employees simply wanted to have an already cool office at opening time (7:30 a.m.). In either event, the employees have now been instructed to turn off the air conditioning at closing time.

No other annoying air conditioners on Massachusetts Avenue have come to our attention.

Please advise if there are comments or questions.

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January 28, 1991

To The Honorable, The City Council:

Attached, please find a response to Awaiting Report Item No. 21, regarding enforcement of the noise ordinance and measuring the noise level from the industrial air conditioners on Massachusetts Avenue, received from James T. McDavitt, License Commission Chair.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Healy
City Manager

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Response to Awaiting Report Item
Number 21 regarding the enforcement
of the noise ordinance and measuring
the noise level from the industrial
air conditioners on Mass. Ave.

In City Council,

January 28, 1991

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