



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

June 19, 1973

D.P.U. 17685

Investigation by the Department on its own motion as to the propriety of the rates and charges set forth in the following schedules:

M.D.P.U. No. 166 - Residential Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 167 - General Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 168 - Institutional Lighting Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 169 - General Power Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 170 - Large General Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 171 - Commercial Space Heating Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 172 - Primary Power Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 173 - High Tension Power Rate
M.D.P.U. No. 174 - Off-Peak Water Heating Rate

all filed with the Department on May 16, 1973 to become effective on June 1, 1973, by the Cambridge Electric Light Company.

The Company having filed the schedules referred to above, this Department suspended the operation of the rates and charges set forth therein pending study and investigation of their propriety. The proposed general rate increase would, if approved, raise additional annual revenues of \$2,879,000. The proposed schedules, including documents showing the effect of proposed increases upon individual customers, together with supporting material, is on file at the offices of the Department of Public Utilities, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts, and may be examined at any time during normal business hours. The Department, having completed its preliminary investigation, will hold a public hearing as to the propriety of the proposed rates and charges at its hearing-room, #1210 Leverett Saltonstall Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Mass., on Wednesday, July 18, 1973, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

By Order of the Department,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Francis J. Hickey, Jr.", written over a horizontal line.

FRANCIS J. HICKEY, JR.
Secretary.

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Notification from the Dept. of P.U. of a
public hearing to be held on July 18 at
10:00 A.M. at 100 Cambridge St. Re: to
proposed rate schedules from the Cambridge
Electric Light Comp.

In City Council

June 25, 1973

*Referred to the
Reg. Agent*