

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS & ENERGY

LEGAL NOTICE

May 28, 1998

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City Hall
Cambridge, MA 02139

D.T.E. 98-34

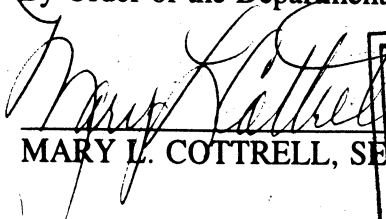
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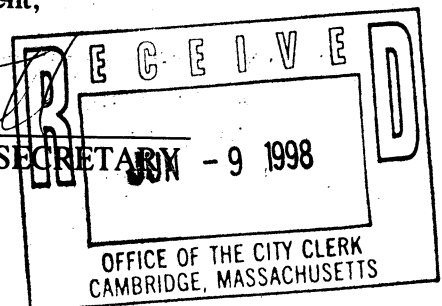
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The Department will conduct public hearings on **Monday, June 15, 1998 at 7:00 PM in the Banx Room, Worcester Public Library, 3 Salem Square (corner of Franklin and Salem Streets), Worcester, Massachusetts; Monday, June 22, 1998 at 7:00 PM at the Great Barrington Senior Center, 909 Main Street, Great Barrington, Massachusetts; and Wednesday, June 24, 1998 at 10 AM at the Department's offices, 100 Cambridge Street Room 1210, Boston, Massachusetts** to afford interested persons the opportunity to be heard. The Department will also conduct a procedural conference immediately following the public hearing on Wednesday, June 24, 1998.

Any person who desires to participate in an adjudicatory proceeding concerning this investigation must file a written petition for leave to intervene or to participate in the proceeding with Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary, Department of Telecommunications and Energy, 100 Cambridge Street, Room 1210, Boston, Massachusetts 02202, not later than the close of business (5:00 p.m.) on June 15, 1998. A petition for leave to intervene must satisfy the timing and substantive requirements of 220 C.M.R. § 1.03. Receipt by the Department -- not mailing -- constitutes filing and determines whether a petition has been timely filed. To be allowed, a petition under 220 C.M.R. § 1.03(1) must satisfy the standing requirements of G.L. c. 30A, § 10.

By Order of the Department,


MARY L. COTTRELL, SECRETARY





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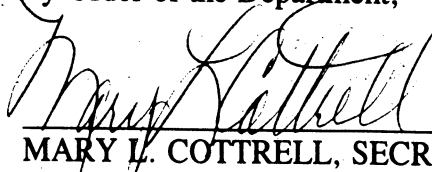
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Consent Communication #2

A communication was received from the Department of Telecommunications & Energy, transmitting a legal notice of an investigation to determine whether policies should be implemented to ensure the maintenance and funding of Public Interest Payphones.

In City Council June 15, 1998

Referred to the City Manager along with minutes of Ordinance Committee mtg. discussing pay telephones.