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BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

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September 5, 1985

SUSAN A. ARTHUR
Executive Secretary

TO: The Honorable Members of the City Council
The Honorable Members of the School Committee
The Chairpersons of the Democratic and Republican
City Committees

FROM: The Board of Election Commissioners

SUBJECT: PRESENTATION OF REDISTRICTING PLAN

The Board of Election Commissioners will hold a special meeting to present its plan for the re-drawing of the ward and precinct lines in the City of Cambridge. The date, time and location for this meeting is:

DATE: Wednesday, September 18, 1985
TIME: 8:00 P.M.
PLACE: The Cambridge Police Academy

State law requires the Board to redraw ward and precinct boundaries every ten years beginning in 1985 to ensure that each ward contains a population within 10 percent of the average ward population in the city and that each precinct contains a population within 10 percent of the average precinct population in that precinct's ward. The last redrawing of ward and precinct lines was done in 1935 when the city's population was considerably larger than it is today.

The Board must file its plan of the city's new ward and precinct boundaries with the Local Election Districts Review Commission, the state agency responsible for approving the new boundaries under state law, by September 30, 1985.

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Communication received from the Board of
Election Commissioners transmitting notification of the special meeting to be held on
Wednesday, September 18, 1985 at 8:00 p. m.
at the Cambridge Police Academy regarding
the presentation of the redistricting plan.

In City Council,

September 9, 1985

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