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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

BOSTON, January 22, 1976

DPU 18598

Petition of Boston Edison Company for approval by the Department of Public Utilities of the issuance and sale by the Company of not more than 3,000,000 shares of Preference Stock, having a par value of \$1 per share; the proceeds of such issue and sale to be used for the purpose of the payment of obligations of the Company representing expenditures for extensions, additions and improvements to the Company's plant and properties.

Upon the foregoing petition

the Commission of the Department of Public Utilities will hold a public hearing at its hearing room #1210 State Office Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston 02202, on Thursday the 12th day of February at 9:30 o'clock in the fore noon.

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

by registered mail to serve a copy hereof/at least 14 days prior to said date on Mayor and City Clerk of Boston, Chelsea, Newton, Somerville, Waltham, Woburn, Cambridge, Quincy, Revere, Everett and the Chairman, Board of Selectmen and Town Clerk of Acton, Arlington, Ashland, Bedford, Bellingham, Brookline, Burlington, Canton, Carlisle, Dedham, Dover, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Lexington, Lincoln, Maynard, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Milton, Natick, Needham, Norfolk, Sharon, Sherborn, Stoneham, Sudbury, Walpole, Wayland, Weston, Westwood, Winchester, Watertown, Wakefield, Concord, Reading, Norwood, Southboro, Wellesley, Weymouth and Braintree.

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

By order of the Department,

Michael C. Gellah
Admin. Secretary.

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Notice of a public hearing by the Dept.
of Public Utilities to be held on Thurs.
Feb. 12, 1976 at 9:30 am re: to the
petition of the Boston Edison Co. for
approval by the Dept. of Public Utilities
of the issuance and sale by the Co. of
not more than 3,000,000 shares of
Preference Stock, having a par value of
\$1 per share.

In City Council,
Feb. 9, 1976

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Referred to the
Legislative Agent.