

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

November 20, 1978

D.P.U. 4240-78

Investigation by the Department upon its own motion as to the advisability of revising and adopting new accounts or sub-divisions of new accounts necessitated by the adoption of a standard cost of gas adjustment clause.

D.P.U. 19806

Investigation by the Department upon its own motion as to the advisability of the adoption of a standard cost of gas adjustment clause.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Massachusetts Department of Public Utilities hereby proposes certain additions to the Uniform System of Accounts and also proposes the adoption of one of the two alternative standard cost of gas adjustment clauses, or a combination thereof. These proposed regulations will be promulgated pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 30A, section 2; Chapter 164, sections 76C, 81, and 94F.

The subject covered by these proposed regulations concerns a standardized methodology for determining the cost of gas adjustment. The proposals will add the following new accounts and sub-accounts to the existing Uniform System of Accounts: Sections 723.1, 728.1, 804.1, 804.2, 804.3, 722.1, 727.1, 805.1, 805.2, 805.3, 702.1, 712.1, 724.1, 729.1, 808.1, 808.2, and 175.

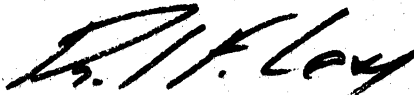
Presentation of data, views or arguments relating to the proposed regulations may be submitted in oral or written form by any interested persons at a public hearing to be held by the Department of Public

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Utilities at its hearing room, #1210 Leverett Saltonstall Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon on December 21, 1978. Written comments filed after December 21, 1978 will only be received at the discretion of the Commission.

Copies of the proposed regulations are on file both at the Secretary of State's Office and the Department of Public Utilities.

By Order of the Department,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "P. F. Levy", written over a horizontal line.

Paul F. Levy, Chairman

City of Cambridge

Notice of a public hearing by the Dept. of
Public Utilities on Dec. 21, 1978 at 10 a.m.
at 100 Cambridge St., Boston, re: adoption
of new accounts necessitated by the adoption
of a standard cost of gas adjustment clause.

In City Council,

Dec. 4, 1978

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Re: Dept. of Public Utilities
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