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Notice of Public Hearing
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In accordance with M.G.L. c. 22D, s. 4; c. 148, s.10; c.30A, s.2 and s.3 and c. 143, s. 3L, notice is hereby given of a public hearing to be held by the Board of Fire Prevention Regulations (BFPR) at the Department of Fire Services, State Road, Stow, MA., in A-117 on **Wednesday, December 14, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.** for the purpose of hearing public comment on proposed amendments to the Massachusetts Electrical Code (527 CMR 12.00), including the adoption of the National Electrical Code (NFPA 70, 2023 Edition), with amendments particular to Massachusetts. 527 CMR 12.00 establishes standards for the installation, maintenance and repair of electrical wires, fixtures, equipment and related items throughout the Commonwealth. The proposed regulation adopts nationally recognized standards and assures that the Commonwealth promulgates regulations that keep up with industry advancements and assures the highest level of public safety. Written or oral comments may be submitted at the time and place of the hearing. One may also submit written comments by mailing or e-mailing comments to Mary Ann Smith, Code Administrator (MaryAnn.E.Smith@mass.gov) P.O. Box 1025, State Rd, Stow, MA 01775 (Tel. 978-567-3713). To be considered by the Board, mailed or emailed comments must be received no later than 4:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 13, 2022. Copies of the proposed regulations are also available on the BFPR's web page at:

<https://www.mass.gov/doc/527-cmr-1200-amendment-package/download>