

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY
CABLE TELEVISION DIVISION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON CABLE TELEVISION RATES

TIME WARNER CABLE
Pittsfield, Massachusetts

Pursuant to G.L. c. 166A, § 15 and 207 CMR 6.03, the Cable Television Division (“Cable Division”) of the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy will hold a public hearing to investigate Time Warner Cable’s (“Time Warner”) basic tier programming rates for the communities of Athol, Dalton, Orange, Pittsfield, and Richmond. The basic tier programming rates became effective, subject to review and refund, on January 1, 2000. The Cable Division will also investigate Time Warner’s proposed rate adjustment associated with its network upgrade for the communities of Dalton, Pittsfield and Richmond. The network upgrade rate will be charged upon completion of the rebuild of the Pittsfield area cable system. As a part of our investigation the Cable Division will review Federal Communications Commission Form 1240s and Form 1235 filed with the Cable Division on October 1, 1999. The hearing will be held on Thursday, May 11, 2000, at 11:30 AM in the Council Chambers of the City Hall, 70 Allen Street, in Pittsfield. This is a formal hearing under 801 CMR 1.01 of the Standard Adjudicatory Rules of Practice and Procedure. By Order of the Cable Television Division, Alicia C. Matthews, Director.

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