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The Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EOEEA) announces the release of drafts for public review and comment of the:

Desalination Policy
and the
Desalination Siting and Monitoring Protocols

The documents will be available for review on the EOEEA - Water website,
<http://www.mass.gov/envir/water/> .

The draft Policy and the draft Protocols are new documents and were developed in response to the recent development of desalination as a potential source of drinking water. The documents provide direction on when desalinated water may be appropriate in the Commonwealth. They also provide predictability of process and of potential requirements during the permitting process.

EOEEA staff will be accepting public comments postmarked by August 10, 2007. Please mail or e-mail all comments or address any questions to:

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