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#### Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, DC 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT  
Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of  
The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) January 5, 2006**

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**FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK OF BOSTON**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Federally chartered corporation**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**000-51402**  
(Commission File Number)

**04-6002575**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**111 Huntington Avenue**  
**Boston, MA 02199**  
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

**(617) 292-9600**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

**Not Applicable**  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure**

On January 5, 2006, the Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston issued a press release announcing a dividend for the fiscal quarter ended December 31, 2005. A copy of the press release is attached to this report. The information contained in the attachment is being furnished and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, and shall not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits**

Exhibits

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
Exhibit 99.1:	Press Release, dated January 5, 2006, issued by the Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston

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**Signature(s)**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

**Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston**

Date: January 5, 2006

By:           /s/ Frank Nitkiewicz            
Frank Nitkiewicz  
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial  
Officer

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**NEWS RELEASE**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
January 5, 2006

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**FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK OF BOSTON ANNOUNCES DIVIDEND RATE FOR Q4 2005**

BOSTON – The Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston (the Bank) announced a dividend rate with an equivalent annual yield of 4.85 percent for the fourth quarter of 2005. The dividend for the quarter was paid on January 4, 2006.

In addition, the Bank's Registration Statement on Form 10, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 31, 2005, and amended on December 22, 2005, became effective on December 30, 2005.

The Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston is a cooperatively owned wholesale bank for housing finance in the six New England states. Its mission is to support the residential-mortgage and community-development lending activities of its members, which include over 460 financial institutions across New England. To accomplish its mission, the Bank utilizes private-sector capital to provide members and other qualified customers with reliable access to low-cost wholesale funds, liquidity, a competitive outlet for the sale of loans, special lending programs, technical assistance, and other products and services.

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