

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
April 27, 1989

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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LIMITS TO VOLATILITY OF) R88-30
GASOLINE)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J.D. Dumelle):

This matter comes before the Board upon an April 4, 1989 proposal for rulemaking filed by the Chicago Lung Association (Association). The Association submitted a proposed rule to set limits on the volatility of gasoline.

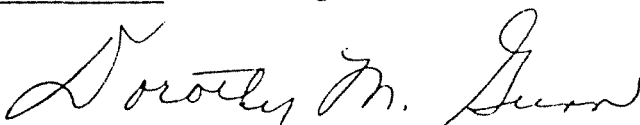
On April 6, 1989, The Board adopted an Order noting that additional information would be required before the Board could accept the proposal for hearing. On April 13, 1989, the Association responded to the Board's April 6 Order. The Association filed a proof of service upon the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and upon the Department of Energy and Natural Resources (Department). Also, the Association stated its belief that there is adequate information in the record, or which can be introduced at hearing, to address the issue of the economic impact of the proposed rule. Therefore, the Association recommends that a formal economic impact study (EcIS) need not be prepared by the Department.

The Board hereby accepts the proposal for hearing. The Board directs the Hearing Officer to establish a hearing schedule, which may include a schedule for the pre-filing of materials to be presented at hearing.

Pursuant to Section 27(a) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act), within 21 days of the date of this Order, any person may request the Board to determine that an EcIS should or should not be prepared. Such requests are to be made in writing and must "detail the reasons for the request and describe, to the extent reasonably practicable, the economic impact of the proposed rule".

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Order was adopted on the 27th day of April, 1989 by a vote of 7-0.


Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board