

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
June 20, 1996

MARATHON OIL COMPANY,	)	
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Petitioner,	)	
	)	
v.	)	PCB 96-254
	)	(Variance - Air)
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL	)	
PROTECTION AGENCY,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.A. Manning):

On June 14, 1996 Marathon Oil Company (Marathon) filed a petition for variance through December 31, 1996 from 35 Ill. Adm. Code 212.123 and 212.381 concerning particulate emissions. The variance involves the Marathon petroleum refinery near the City of Robinson, Crawford County, Illinois.

Marathon's petition is deficient, as it fails to contain all of the information required by 35 Ill. Adm. Code 104.121. The deficiencies in Marathon's petition includes, but is not limited to, the following:

Section 104.121 (e): Data describing in sufficient detail the nature and extent of present (or future) failure to meet the applicable standards.

Section 104.121 (g): An assessment with factual information, of environmental impact that the variance will impose on human, plant, and animal life in the affected area, including, where applicable, data describing the existing air quality which the discharge may affect.

Section 104.121 (k): A concise factual statement of the reasons the petitioner believes that compliance with the particular provisions of the regulations would impose as arbitrary or unreasonable hardship.

If an amended petition curing all deficiencies is not filed within 45 days of the date of this order, this petition will be subject to dismissal. The filing of an amended petition will restart the Board's timeclock pursuant to Section 38(a) of the Environmental Protection Act.

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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1996, by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_.

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Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board