ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
May 20, 1993

OMNI PRODUCTS,   )
DIVISION OF ZMC, INC.,   )
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    Petitioner,   )
)
    v.   )   PCB 93-100
)   (Underground Storage
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL   )   Tank Reimbursement)
PROTECTION AGENCY,   )
)
    Respondent.   )

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by R. C. Flemal):

        On May 12, 1993, ZMC, Inc., filed a petition for review of
an Underground Storage Tank Reimbursement Determination. This
matter is accepted for hearing. The Board notes that petitioner
requested an additional 30 days to gather information to prove
its case. The Board notes that the proof need not be given until
the time of hearing. Due to the notice requirements as outlined
below, the hearing will be held sometime after 30 days of the
date of filing of the petition.

        Hearing must be scheduled within 14 days of the date of this
order and completed within 60 days of the date of this order.
The hearing officer shall inform the Clerk of the Board of the
time and location of the hearing at least 40 days in advance of
hearing so that public notice of hearing may be published. After
hearing, the hearing officer shall submit an exhibit list, and
all actual exhibits to the Board within 5 days of the hearing.
Any briefing schedule shall provide for final filings as
expeditiously as possible and in no event later than 70 days from
the date of this order.

        If after appropriate consultation with the parties, the
parties fail to provide an acceptable hearing date or if after an
attempt the hearing officer is unable to consult with the
parties, the hearing officer shall unilaterally set a hearing
date in conformance with the schedule above. This schedule will
only provide the Board a very short time period to deliberate and
reach a decision before the due date. The hearing officer and
the parties are encouraged to expedite this proceeding as much as
possible.

        Within 10 days of accepting this case, the Hearing Officer
shall enter a Hearing Officer Scheduling order governing
completion of the record. That order shall set a date certain
for each aspect of the case including: briefing schedule,