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**STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board**

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

November 6, 2008

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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PROPOSED SITE SPECIFIC RULE FOR) R09-8
CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS,) (Site-Specific Rulemaking - Water)
OFFICE OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, CITY)
WATER, LIGHT and POWER and)
SPRINGFIELD METRO SANITARY)
DISTRICT FROM 35 ILL. ADM. CODE)
302.208(g): NEW 35 ILL. ADM. CODE)
303.446)

ORIGINAL

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATES, TIMES, AND PLACES:

December 16, 2008

10:00 a.m.
Pollution Control Board Conference Room, First Floor
1021 N. Grand Avenue East, North Entrance
Springfield, IL

PURPOSE OF HEARINGS: Economic
ATTENDING BOARD MEMBERS: G. Tanner Girard
HEARING OFFICER: Marie E. Tipsord

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On September 16, 2008, the Board accepted for hearing a site-specific rulemaking filed on August 29, 2008, by the City of Springfield, Office of Public Utilities, City Water, Light and Power and Springfield Metro Sanitary District, (collectively, Springfield). The proposal seeks to establish an alternative water quality standard for boron from the discharge point at the Spring Creek Sanitary Treatment Plant (Spring Creek STP) to the Sangamon River to its confluence with the Illinois River and 100 yards downstream from the confluence in the Illinois River. The Board granted a motion to expedite the rulemaking consistent with the Board's available resources and directed that a hearing be set expeditiously.

On November 3, 2008, the Board held the first hearing in this proceeding. During that hearing several requests were made of both the Springfield and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) for additional information. The information requested is to be filed with the Board by November 21, 2008. If after reviewing that material there are additional

