

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
February 19, 2015

IN THE MATTER OF: )  
 )  
AMENDMENTS TO THE BOARD'S ) R15-10  
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES ) (Rulemaking – Procedural)  
2 ILL. ADM. CODE 2175 )

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by D. Glosser):

On October 16, 2014, the Board adopted amendments to its administrative rules at Part 2175 of Title 2 of the Illinois Administrative Code. The Board amended these rules to update the public information provisions by removing the reference to a subscription for the *Environmental Register*, and updating provisions in response to amendments to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 ILCS 140/1 *et. seq.* (2012)). The Board also updated the organizational provisions and organization chart in this rulemaking. Finally, the Board made changes to reflect current Board practices in holding closed meetings.

The rule was published in the *Illinois Register* on December 15, 2014. On January 27, 2015, the Board received a letter from the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules (JCAR). JCAR indicated that at its January 15, 2015 meeting, JCAR determined that no objection to the rule would be issued; however a recommendation was issued. JCAR recommended that the Board “be more timely in updating its rules to reflect statutory changes”. JCAR’s recommendation indicates that the Board “should respond to this Recommendation within 90 days after receipt”.

The Board accepts JCAR’s recommendation and will endeavor, consistent with available resources including staff, to be timely in updating its rules to reflect statutory changes.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, John T. Therriault, Assistant Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on February 19, 2015, by a vote of 4-0.



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John T. Therriault, Assistant Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board