

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
October 1, 2015

CLINTON LANDFILL, INC.,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 15-60, PCB 15-76, PCB 15-111,
) PCB 15-113, PCB 15-166, PCB 15-194,
 ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL) PCB 15-195, PCB 15-207, PCB 16-34
 PROTECTION AGENCY,) (Permit Appeal - Land)
) (Consolidated)
 Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.K. Zalewski):

On September 17, 2015, Clinton Landfill Inc. (CLI) and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) filed a joint motion to extend stay (Mot.). The parties state that “[s]ettlement negotiations amongst CLI, the Agency, and various other State and local government entities, which affect this case, have been on-going for many months. . . . If the negotiations do successfully conclude, CLI will move to dismiss the Consolidated Case.” Mot. at 1-2. They continue that, “[b]y October 31, 2015, the parties reasonably anticipate that settlement negotiations will most likely have concluded, either successfully or not.” *Id.* at 2.

Section 101.514(a) of the Board’s procedural rules provides:

Motions to stay a proceeding must be directed to the Board and must be accompanied by sufficient information detailing why a stay is needed, and in decision deadline proceedings, by a waiver of any decision deadline. 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.514(a).

In addition, the Board’s rules demand that the parties file a status report at the close of any stay granted by the Board. 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.514(b).

CLI and the Agency have indicated that they are engaged in settlement discussions that may lead to dismissal of the consolidated cases. The parties have also waived the decision deadline to accommodate the requested stay in the already consolidated docket. Therefore, the Board grants the joint motion to stay the consolidated cases. The stay will be lifted on October 31, 2015, at which time the parties must provide the Board with a status.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Don A. Brown, Assistant Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on October 1, 2015, by a vote of 5-0.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Don A. Brown". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, circular initial "D".

Don A. Brown, Assistant Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board