

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
August 11, 2016

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL	)	
PROTECTION AGENCY,	)	
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Complainant,	)	
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v.	)	AC 09-46
	)	AC 08-19
C. JOHN BLICKHAN,	)	AC 07-24
	)	(IEPA Nos. 94-09-AC, 23-08-AC,
Respondent.	)	304-06-AC)
	)	(Consolidated)
	)	(Administrative Citations)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J.D. O’Leary):

On October 20, 2006, in AC 07-24, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency or Illinois EPA) filed an administrative citation against C. John Blickhan alleging that he had violated Sections 21(p)(1), 21(p)(3), and 21(p)(7) of the Act (415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1), (p)(3), and (p)(7) (2006)). On November 16, 2006, the Board accepted a petition for hearing.

On February 28, 2008, in AC 08-19, the Agency filed an administrative citation against C. John Blickhan alleging that he had violated Sections 21(p)(1), 21(p)(3), and 21(p)(7) of the Act (415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1), (p)(3), and (p)(7) (2006)). On April 3, 2008, the Board accepted a petition for hearing. On July 10, 2008, the Board granted the Agency’s motion to consolidate the two appeals for hearing but not necessarily for decision.

On May 18, 2009, in AC 09-46, the Agency filed an administrative citation against C. John Blickhan alleging that he had violated Section 21(p)(1) of the Act (415 ILCS 21(p)(1) (2006)). On June 18, 2009, the Board accepted a petition for hearing and granted the respondent’s unopposed motion to consolidate AC 09-46 with the previously-consolidated appeals AC 07-24 and AC 08-19.

On August 2, 2016, the Agency filed a motion to withdraw each of the administrative citations (Mot.). In the motion, the Agency states that, “[b]ased on facts and circumstances discovered since the filing of the Administrative Citations, Illinois EPA has determined that it is prudent to withdraw each of these Administrative Citations at this time.” Mot. at 1. The Board grants the Agency’s motion to withdraw the three administrative citations, dismisses the cases, and closes the dockets.

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 August 11, 2016, by a vote of 4-0.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Don A. Brown". The letters are cursive and fluid, with a large initial "D" and "B".

Don A. Brown, Assistant Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board