ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD March 19, 2021

MIDWEST GENERATION, LLC,)
Petitioner,))
v.)
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTON AGENCY,) PCB 16-19) (Time-Limited Water Quality Standard)
Respondent.)

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On March 18, 2021, all parties participated in a conference call with the hearing officer. It is noted that the Board Order of December 5, 2019, held that if petitioner files a petition for alternative thermal effluent limitations the stay previously granted in this matter will be in effect until the Board reaches its final decision on the petition for alternative limitations.

The petitioner did file two petitions for alternative effluent limitations and the Board on its own motion consolidated the petitions and accepted them. <u>Midwest Generation, LLC, v. IEPA</u>, PCB 20-38 & PCB 20-39 (Feb. 6, 2020). Therefore, this matter's stay continues until the Board decides the aforementioned petitions for alternative limitation.

Note also that the Board's Order of July 25, 2019 consolidated this petition with PCB 16-24 (INEOS) for purposes of hearing. Midwest Generation, LLC, v. IEPA, PCB 16-19 (July 25, 2019).

The parties or their legal representatives are directed to participate in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer on May 20, 2021, at 9:45 a.m. The telephonic status conference must be initiated by the petitioner, but each party is nonetheless responsible for its own appearance. At the status conference, the parties must be prepared to discuss the status of the above-captioned matter and their readiness for hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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