ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD February 16, 2023

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IN THE MATTER OF: UIC UPDATE, USEPA REGULATIONS (July 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022)

R23-10 (Identical-in-Substance Rulemaking -Land)

Proposed Rule. Dismissal Order.

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by M. Gibson):

Section 13(c) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/13(c) (2020)) requires the Board to adopt regulations that are "identical-in-substance" to regulations of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA). 415 ILCS 5/7.2 (2020). Specifically, Section 13(c) relates to underground injection control (UIC) regulations that USEPA adopted to implement provisions of the Safe Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C. § 300h *et seq.* (2020)). USEPA has codified its UIC regulations at 40 C.F.R. §§ 144 through 148.

The Board reserved this docket for any UIC amendments adopted by USEPA between June 1, 2022, and December 31, 2022. During that period, USEPA took no action regarding its UIC regulations that will require Board action. Therefore, the Board dismisses this docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Don A. Brown, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on February 16, by a vote of 4-0.

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Don A. Brown, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board