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ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD 60 E VAN BUREN ST SUITE 630 CHICAGO, IL 60605

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ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD NOTICE OF PROPOSED STIPULATION AND PROPOSAL FOR SETTLEMENT OF ENFORCEMENT CASE

The Attorney General has brought a case against Hawkins, Inc. d/b/a Vertex Chemical Corporation for violating State pollution control rules. On July 19, 2023, the parties filed a stipulation and proposal for settlement. The parties agree that a hearing is unnecessary, and in accordance with State law, have requested that the settlement be adopted without holding a public hearing. Any person who would like to comment on, or demand a public hearing on, the stipulation and proposal for settlement may do so by filing a written comment or hearing demand with the Illinois Pollution Control Board within 21 days after the publication of this notice. The written comment or hearing demand must refer to People of the State of Illinois v. Hawkins, Inc. d/b/a Vertex Chemical Corporation, PCB 24-5, and must be filed with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, 60 East Van Buren, Suite 630, Chicago, Illinois 60605. Additional information can be obtained through the Office of the Clerk at 312/814-3461 and the Board's website at https://pcb.illinois.gov/.

Barbara Flynn Currie Chairman IPL0134435 Aug 8 2023 STATE OF ILLINOIS )
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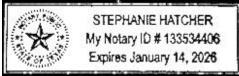
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