

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
January 10, 2002

CITY OF CENTRALIA,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 02-88
) (Variance – Public Water Supply)
 ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
 PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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 Respondent.)

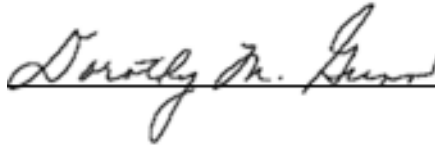
ORDER OF THE BOARD (by R.C. Flemal):

On December 31, 2001, petitioner filed a petition for variance (petition). Petitioner requests an 18-month variance from the Interim Enhanced Surface Water Treatment Rule incorporated at 35 Ill. Admin. Code 611.740 *et seq.*. Pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 104.204, petitioner requests a hearing. The Board accepts the matter for hearing.

The Board directs that this matter proceed to hearing as expeditiously as practicable. The assigned hearing officer must set the matter for hearing in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5 *et seq.* (2000)) and the Board's procedural rules. It is the responsibility of the hearing officer to guide the parties toward prompt resolution of this matter, through whatever status calls and hearing officer orders he determines are necessary and appropriate. Unless otherwise ordered by the hearing officer, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency recommendation must be filed with the Board within 45 days after the filing of the petition (in this instance, February 14, 2002), or where there has been a hearing scheduled, at least 30 days before hearing, whichever is earlier. *See* 35 Ill. Adm. Code 104.216(b).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on, by a vote of 5-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board