

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

May 18, 2000

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	PCB 00-180
)	(Enforcement - Air, Land)
JACOBS ENERGY CORPORATION,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

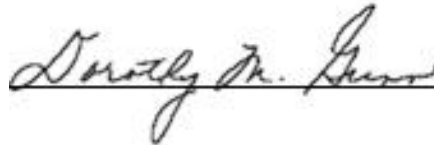
ORDER OF THE BOARD (by M. McFawn):

This enforcement proceeding was commenced on May 2, 2000, by the filing of a four-count complaint by the People of the State of Illinois. The complaint alleges violations of several provisions of the Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5 (1998), and its implementing regulations by respondent's activities at its facility in Moline, Illinois. The Board accepts this case for hearing.

The Board directs that this matter proceed to hearing as expeditiously as practicable. In accordance with 35 Ill. Adm. Code 103.125(a), this matter must be set for hearing within 90 days after the filing of the complaint unless the Board orders otherwise; however, the Board hereby authorizes the hearing officer, after appropriate consultation with the parties, to set a later hearing date if he determines that a later date is appropriate and that no undue delay or material prejudice in the resolution of this matter would result. In any event, it is the responsibility of the hearing officer to guide the parties toward prompt resolution or adjudication of this matter, by issuing any necessary and appropriate hearing officer orders.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 18th day of May 2000 by a vote of 6-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board