## Illinois Pollution Control Board April 11, 1991

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	
GROUNDWATER QUALITY STANDARDS	)	R89-14(B)
(35 ILL. ADM. CODE 620)	)	

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

On February 28, 1991, the Board split the docket in this proceeding and sent the Agency's revised proposal to First Notice. (Published at 15 Ill. Reg. 4234, March 22, 1991.)

On March 29, 1991, the Illinois Environmental Regulatory Group, Illinois State Chamber of Commerce, Chemical Industries Council of Illinois, Illinois Coal Association, Illinois Farm Bureau, Illinois Fertilizer and Chemical Association, Inc., Illinois Municipal League, Illinois Petroleum Marketers Association, and Illinois Steel Group ("Associations") filed a motion for hearing in the above captioned proceeding. The Associations state that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has no objection to the motion. On April 5, 1991, the McHenry County Defenders, Illinois Chapter of the Sierra Club, and Citizens for a Better Environment ("Defenders") filed a response to the Associations' motion. In response, the Defenders state they do not oppose the motion for hearing.

It is also worth noting that Section 5.01 of the Illinois Administrative Procedure Act states in part:

The agency shall hold a public hearing on the proposed rulemaking, during the first notice period in the following cases:

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(2) the agency receives a request for a public hearing, within the first 14 days after publication of the notice of proposed rulemaking in the Illinois Register, from 25 interested persons, an association representing at least 100 interested persons, the Governor, the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules, or a unit of local government which may be affected.

Ill. Rev. Stat. 1989, ch. 127, par. 1005.01

The Associations' motion was filed within 14 days of publication of First Notice.

The Associations' motion is hereby granted. Hearing will be set by separate Hearing Officer Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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