ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD September 19, 1986

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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,

v.

PCB 84-92

RICHARD KROHN and PARKWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee Under Trust No. 4730,

Respondent.

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. D. Dumelle):

This matter comes before the Board upon a September 15, 1986 motion for continuance and for a special Board meeting filed on behalf of Richard Krohn. On July 31, 1986, the Board issued an order that hearing be held within 60 days. On or about August 15, 1986, the hearing officer appropriately set the hearing for September 26 and 29, 1986. On or about September 8, 1986, the law firm representing Mr. Krohn scheduled the dates of September 26 and 27, 1986, for moving its offices. Because of the move and because Krohn believes that this matter is close to being settled, Krohn requests that hearing be continued until October 23 and 24. Krohn also alleges that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency does not object to this request.

Krohn's motions are both hereby reluctantly granted. The Board will not, however, reschedule the hearings for a date certain since the motion contains no statement that the hearing officer is available on those dates or that a room is available for hearing at those times. Therefore, the Board orders that hearing be rescheduled within 30 days and held within 60 days of the date of this order.

The Board notes that given the timing of events set forth in Krohn's motion, it appears that this motion could have been filed prior to the Board's regularly scheduled Board meeting on September 11, 1986. Had that been done, no special Board meeting would have been necessary. Special Board meetings are not favored, especially when they appear to have been avoidable.

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 $_{194}$ day of September, 1986 by a vote of 0

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Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board