ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD January 9, 1986

IN THE MATTER OF:)
JOINT PETITION OF THE CITY)
OF WOOD RIVER AND THE ILLINOIS)
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY)
FOR EXCEPTION TO THE COMBINED)
SEWER OVERFLOW REGULATIONS)

PCB 86-6

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Anderson):

This petition was received by the Board January 6, 1986; 35 Ill. Adm. Code 306.373 provides that no petition shall be accepted by the Board after January 1, 1986. However, the Board notes that this petition was mailed to the Board's old address via certified mail on December 30, 1985. Given the fact that the current (1982) printed version of the Board's procedural rules list the old address, as well as the holiday-related slow-down of mail service, the Board will accept the petition, finding that the City has substantially complied with the filing deadline. Hearing in this matter will be scheduled as expeditiously as is practicable, consistent with the need of the Board and the Agency to coordinate and prioritize the handling of this and the other 20 recently filed petitions.

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 $\underline{\mathcal{H}}$ day of $\underline{\mathcal{H}}$, 1986, by a vote of $\underline{\mathcal{H}}$.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board