

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
September 9, 1999

TAKASAGO INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,)
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Petitioner,)
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v.)
) PCB 00-39
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,) (Provisional Variance - Water)
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Respondent.)
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ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.A. Manning):

On September 7, 1999, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) filed a request for a provisional variance and notification of recommendation. This request is for an extension of the provisional variance granted in PCB 00-8 on July 22, 1999. The Agency recommends that the Board grant to Takasago International Corporation (Takasago) a 45-day provisional variance.

The provisional variance would apply to petitioner's discharge of total dissolved solids (TDS) into the sanitary sewer system of Consumer Illinois Water Company (CIWC). CIWC supports the granting of this provisional variance. This would allow this Will County petitioner to operate its aroma chemical production facility pending approval of its request for a water pollution control permit.

The Board grants the petitioner a provisional variance extension from the effluent discharge requirements set forth in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 302.208 and 304.105. The Board is required, in a provisional variance, to adopt a formal order, assure formal maintenance of the record, assure the enforceability of the variance, and provide notification of the action by press release. Pursuant to Section 35(b) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/35(b) (1998)), the Board must issue the provisional variance within two days of the filing.

The provisional variance shall be subject to the following conditions:

1. The variance shall begin on August 28, 1999, and continue for 45 days.
2. During the term of this variance, petitioner's total dissolved solids discharge to the sanitary sewer system of Consumer Illinois Water Company shall not exceed 11,100 kilograms per day (kg/day) as a maximum daily composite and 6,000 kg/day as a monthly average.
3. Petitioner shall sign a certificate of acceptance of this provisional variance and forward that certificate to the Agency within ten days of the date of this order. The certification should take the following form:

CERTIFICATION

I (We), _____, hereby accept and agree to be bound by all terms and conditions of the order of the Pollution Control Board in PCB 00-39 dated September 9, 1999.

Petitioner

Authorized Agent

Title

Date

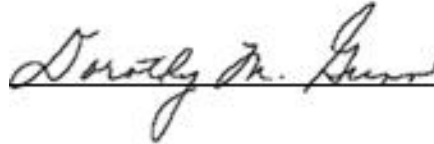
The certificate of acceptance shall be sent within ten days to the following address:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Bureau of Water - Water Pollution Control
Attention: Mark Books
1021 North Grand Avenue East
P.O. Box 19276
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Section 41 of the Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/41 (1998)) provides for the appeal of final Board orders to the Illinois Appellate Court within 35 days of service of this order. Illinois Supreme Court Rule 335 establishes such filing requirements. See 172 Ill. 2d R. 335; see also 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.246, Motions for Reconsideration.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 9th day of September 1999 by a vote of 6-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board