ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD August 28, 1986

CITY OF MORRIS,)		
	Petitioner,)		
	v.)	PCB	86-125
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)		
PROTECTION AGENCY,	_)		
	Respondent.)		

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by B. Forcade):

On August 18, 1986, the City of Morris ("Morris") requested a three-year variance from restricted status as it pertains to combined radium and gross alpha particle activity. This petition is deficient in the following areas:

- 1. Morris identifies the construction of new treatment facilities over a three-year period at a cost of \$800,000 as the method of compliance but fails to sufficiently identify the type of treatment. Morris states the proposed method of control is zeolite softening (par. 20), but indicates it will not employ ion exchange softening (par. 29). The petition fails to explain the distinction between zeolite and ion exchange in sufficient detail to allow the Board to understand what treatment technology will in fact be employed; and
- Morris indicates a consulting engineering report on compliance options will be available in three months (paragraphs 24-25).

Morris must either seek a short term variance to develop a compliance plan or provide adequate information on the method of compliance to support a three-year variance. Unless an amended petition is filed within 45 days curing the above-mentioned deficiencies, this matter will be subject to dismissal.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Board Member J. Anderson dissented.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Order was adopted on the 25- day of Luguet, 1986, by a vote of 5-/.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk

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