

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
November 16, 1978

HOMER GRAIN COMPANY,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 78-184
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 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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 Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by Dr. Satchell):

It is the Order of the Pollution Control Board that Homer Grain Company is granted a variance from Rule 203(d)(9)(B) of Chapter 2: Air Pollution Control Regulations for its Homer, Illinois, facility, subject to the following conditions:

1. The Petitioner shall install an emission control system on dump pits B-1 and B-3 as described in the construction permit application submitted to the Agency on August 21, 1978, and Appendix D of the variance petition in accordance with the schedule set forth in paragraph 9 of the petition. The Petitioner shall begin operation of the emission control system for dump pits B-1 and B-3 by June 30, 1979.
2. The Petitioner shall install an emission control system on the dry grain conveyor system designated Conveyor D-1 as described in the construction permit application submitted to the Agency on August 21, 1978 in accordance with the schedule set forth in paragraph 9 of the petition. The Petitioner shall begin operation of the emission control system for Conveyor D-1 by June 30, 1979.
3. The Petitioner shall install an emission control system for the railroad load-out process as described in the construction permit application submitted to the Agency on August 21, 1978 in accordance with the schedule set forth in paragraph 9 of the petition. The Petitioner shall begin operation of the emission control system for the railroad load-out process by October 31, 1978.
4. The Petitioner shall test the control efficiency of the workhouse cyclones. If the results of the test show the equipment is inadequate to meet the requirements of Rule 203(d)(9) the Petitioner shall submit

a construction permit application for an emission control system to replace these cyclones. The emission control system shall achieve compliance no later than June 30, 1979.

- 5. The Petitioner shall submit to the Agency reports on the progress of construction certifying whether the interim compliance steps set forth in paragraph 9 of the variance petition have been met in a timely manner. A report shall be submitted within five days after each of the following dates: January 1, 1979; April 1, 1979; July 1, 1979. Also Petitioner shall make an annual verification to the Agency of the through-put of dump pit B-2.
- 6. Within forty-five days of the date of this Order, Petitioner shall execute and forward to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Variance Section, 2200 Churchill Road, Springfield, Illinois 62706, a Certificate of Acceptance and Agreement to be bound to all terms and conditions of this variance. This forty-five day period shall be held in abeyance for any period this matter is being appealed. The form of the Certificate shall be as follows:

CERTIFICATION

I, (We), _____ having read and fully understanding the Order in PCB 78-184, hereby accept that Order and agree to be bound by all of its terms and conditions.


SIGNED _____

TITLE _____

DATE _____

- 7. Final compliance must be achieved by July 1, 1979, or Homer Grain will be subject to noncompliance penalties under Section 120 of the Clean Air Act as amended in August, 1977 (42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.).

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify the above Order was adopted on the 16th day of November, 1978 by a vote of 3-0.



Christan L. Moffett, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board