## ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD May 8, 1975

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, ) Complainant, ) v. ) UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION, ) Respondent; )

and

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, ) Complainant, ) v. ) PCB 75-141 UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION, ) Respondent. )

MR. RICHARD W. COSBY, Assistant Attorney General, for Complainants. MR. JOSEPH S. WRIGHT, JR., attorney for Respondent.

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by Dr. Odell)

On February 20, 1975, People of the State of Illinois (People) filed with the Pollution Control Board (Board) a Complaint (PCB 75-80) against United States Steel Corporation (Steel) alleging violations of certain Rules of the Air Pollution Regulations, Chapter 2 (Chapter 2) and Section 9(a) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act). People filed an Amended Complaint with the Board on March 14, 1975.

On April 2, 1974, the Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) also filed with the Board a Complaint (PCB 75-141) against United States Steel Corporation alleging violations of certain Rules of Chapter 2 and the Act.

Both of these Complaints are against an integrated steel plant, owned and operated by Respondent, and located at or near 3426 East 89th Street, Chicago, Illinois.

On May 1, 1975, United States Steel Corporation filed with the Board in each of these cases, a Motion to Consolidate PCB 75-80 and PCB 75-141. Respondent stated that (1) the subject matter of both cases is the same, (2) similar issues are raised in both cases, (3) counsel for all of the parties are identical, and (4) consolidation of these two cases would not prejudice any substantial right of any interested party to either action. The Illinois Pollution Control Board hereby grants Respondent's Motions to Consolidate PCB 75-80 and PCB 75-141.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Order was adopted on the day of May, 1975, by a vote of 3-0

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