## ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD September 18, 2003

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,	)	
Complainant,	) ) )	
V.	)	DCD 00 124
PEABODY COAL COMPANY, a Delaware	)	PCB 99-134 (Enforcement – Water)
corporation,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by N.J. Melas):

On September 11, 2003, the parties jointly moved the Board to stay these proceedings through December 1, 2003. The parties state that, as a result of the formal discovery process and informal information exchanges, this case "has developed to the point that there is a substantial possibility that the parties can resolve the case (or at least on certain major, significant aspects of it)." Motion, p. 1-2.

The parties' motion is granted, and this matter is stayed through December 1, 2003. In addition to relieving the parties of their discovery obligations during the pendancy of the stay, this order also serves to delay the hearing officer's ruling on complainant's fully-briefed June 6, 2003 motion for protective order concerning a supplemental filing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on September 18, 2003, by a vote of 5-0.

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Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board