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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board

IN THE MATTER OF:)
)
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO)
DISSOLVED OXYGEN STANDARD)
35 Ill. Adm. Code 302.206)

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NOTICE OF FILING

TO: SEE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Monday, April 19, 2004, we filed the attached MOTION TO WAIVE SIGNATURE REQUIREMENT with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

Respectfully submitted,

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MOTION TO WAIVE SIGNATURE REQUIREMENT

The Illinois Association of Wastewater Agencies (“IAWA”), by its attorneys Gardner Carton & Douglas, moves to waive the signature requirement to file a Petition for Rulemaking in Section 102.200 of the Board’s regulations. IAWA is seeking to amend the rules governing dissolved oxygen, contained in regulations at Section 302.206. In support, IAWA states as follows:

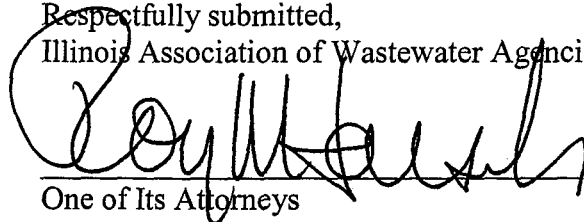
1. IAWA is a member group consisting of 98 members, of which 55 are agency members. The agency members themselves employ hundreds of individuals to administer the wastewater treatment systems in this state. IAWA exists to support administrators and managers of wastewater collection and treatment agencies in the State of Illinois. IAWA exists and acts only due to the concurrence of group members with vital and shared interests in issues governing wastewater treatment.

2. Dissolved oxygen regulation is a priority of members, and IAWA has been working with its members and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (“Illinois EPA”) to propose workable regulations in line with U.S. EPA requirements for dissolved oxygen.

3. Because of the nature of IAWA’s status as a member organization, IAWA seeks to waive the requirement for signature. To require a member organization like IAWA to obtain signatures for a petition would present an added expense and burden to IAWA that is duplicative and unnecessary in light of its status.

WHEREFORE, IAWA moves the Board to waive the signature requirement for its proposal to amend the dissolved oxygen regulation.

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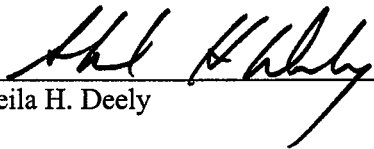
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing **MOTION TO WAIVE SIGNATURE REQUIREMENT** were filed by hand delivery with the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board and served upon the parties to whom said Notice is directed by first class mail, postage prepaid, by depositing in the U.S. Mail at 191 North Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois on Monday, April 19, 2004.

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