

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
April 16, 1998

STEPAN COMPANY,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 98-103
) (Permit Appeal - Air)
 ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
 PROTECTION AGENCY,)
)
 Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.A. Manning):

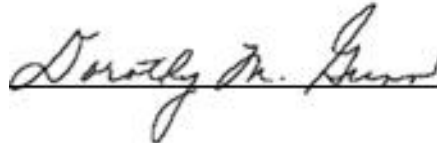
On February 3, 1998, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) and Stepan Company (petitioner) filed a request for extension of the 35-day appeal period pursuant to Section 40 of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/40(a)(1) (1996)), relating to a December 31, 1997, Agency determination.

By order of February 19, 1998, the Board reserved docket PCB 98-103 for any petition which might be filed by petitioner in this matter. The order stated, "[i]n the event that petitioner fails to file an appeal on or before March 31, 1998 (the 90th day after December 31, 1997), the Board will dismiss the docket as unnecessary."

Since no petition has been filed, the Board dismisses this matter and closes the docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 16th day of April 1998 by a vote of 7-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board