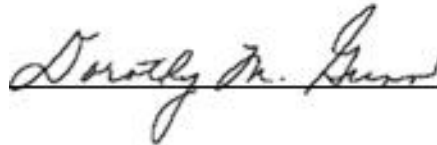


The Board will consider this petition timely filed consistent with the Board's April 2, 1998 order (as it was mailed on May 11, 1998).¹ The Board's decision deadline under Section 40 of the Act (415 ILCS 5/40 (1996)) will restart with the filing of an amended petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Board Members G.T. Girard and J. Theodore Meyer dissented.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 21st day of May 1998 by a vote of 5-2.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Dorothy M. Gunn", written over a horizontal line.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board

¹ The Board's order of April 2, 1998, stated that the petition would be due "on or before May 10, 1998" (the 90th day after February 9, 1998, the date of the Agency decision). Because May 10 is a Sunday, the appeal was due on the next business day, Monday, May 11, 1998.