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Enclosed please find letters written by employees of United Science Industries ~~STATE OF~~ ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board regarding the Proposed Amendments to the Leaking Pollution Control Board Underground Storage Tank Regulations #R04-22/23. These letters were composed independently by each individual employee.

The Procedure and Administrative Rules requiring copies of all documents be provided to each person listed on the service list for regulatory proceedings is administratively cumbersome and expensive. In order to improve efficiency and reduce costs we are including each of the individual letters to the members of the service list in one envelope.

PC#40

May 4, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

RE: Illinois Pollution Control Board #R04-22/23

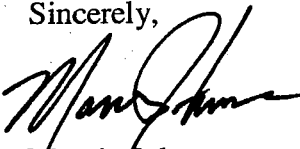
To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to thank the Illinois Pollution Control Board (IPCB) for the April 20, 2005 letter stating that an additional hearing would be scheduled in Carbondale, Marion or Mt. Vernon. I feel that it will be a great benefit to both the IPCB and the citizens of southern Illinois to allow an additional opportunity for questions and answers to some of the rule changes that require clarification.

Based on plans that have already been made and a very busy time near the end of the school year, I would like to request that the additional hearing be held sometime in later part of July.

Thank you for your time in this matter.

Sincerely,



Marvin Johnson
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Centralia, Illinois 62801

May 4, 2005

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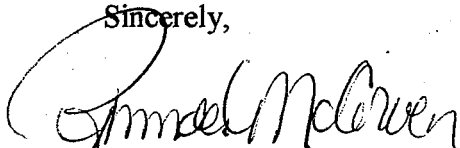
RE: Proposed Amendments to Leaking Underground
Storage Tank Regulations: #R04-22/23

Dear Clerk:

I would like to thank the Pollution Control Board for listening to the concerns in the letter that I sent previously requesting additional hearings in the above referenced matter. I am also very pleased that the Board has agreed to allow the hearings to be held in Southern Illinois.

Per your request for dates of unavailability for the hearings, I would like to ask that the hearings be held in mid to late July. Again, thank you for the Board's cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,



Rhonda McCowen

21526 N Tolle Lane
Texico, IL 62889

Lisa Watson
6159 Peach Road
Iuka, IL 62849

May 4, 2005

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RE: Illinois Pollution Control Board Proposed Rules 04-22 and 04-23

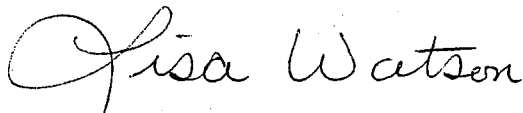
Dear Clerk:

In regards to the above proposed amendments to Part 732 and 734 Regulations and the recent Hearing Officer Order that additional hearings are warranted and will be held in Southern Illinois; I would like to thank the board for listening to the concerned citizens of Illinois and allowing an additional hearing. And I would also like to thank the board for understanding the need for the hearing to be held in Southern Illinois.

At this time I would request that the hearings be held in the latter part of July. This will give me a better opportunity to attend.

Thank you again for your consideration on this important topic.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lisa Watson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Lisa Watson

May 4, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL. 60601

To Sirs:

I would like to take this time to thank you for showing interest in my concerns stated in my previous letters about the PCB hearings in Southern IL. I will not be able to attend the hearings in June or early / mid July for medical reasons. I am requesting that the hearings be held in late July.

Sincerely,



Connie L. Connaway
2806 College Street
Mt. Vernon, IL. 62864

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May 4, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

RE: Illinois Pollution Control Board #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern,

In response to the Hearing Officer Order dated April 20, 2005, which stated that an additional hearing is warranted, I would first like to thank the Board for its recognition of my request for an additional hearing and I am confident that this hearing will serve to provide additional clarity on the issues at hand.

I would also like to thank the board for allowing this additional hearing to be held in Southern Illinois. While there has been no procedural action or other stipulation that would have prevented me from attending the previous hearings, the proximity to my home has made it impractical for me to attend in the past. Barring any unforeseen circumstances and my availability, I look forward to attending this additional hearing.

Concerning pre-filed questions, the specific questions that I would like to be addressed in this hearing have been encompassed within the questions pre-field on behalf of the company that I work for, United Science Industries, Inc.

Concerning availability for hearings, the dates that I am currently unavailable for the hearing in June are 6/2, 6/3, 6/22, 6/23 and 6/24. Additionally, in July, I am currently unavailable for the hearing on 7/4, 7/5 and 7/6.

Your time and consideration is greatly appreciated in this matter.

Sincerely,



Ross Bunton
105 South Crosno
Bonnie, IL 62816

Sarah Blades
3-C Union Ave.
McLeansboro, Illinois 62859

May 4, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500
Chicago, Illinois 60601

To Whom It May Concern:

I would just like to say Thank you for taking the time to consider my request. I appreciate the fact that the hearing has been held in the southern portion of the state. I would also like to state that any date in late July would be sufficient for the hearing date. Again I comment all of those at the Illinois Pollution Control Board for taking the time to respond to the letters.

Sincerely,


Sarah Blades

May 4, 2005

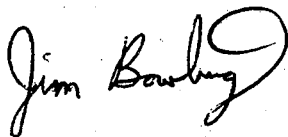
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RE: #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter to commend the Illinois Pollution Control Board (IPCB) for their efforts put forth to listen to the concerns citizens of the State of Illinois had concerning the proposed 35 Ill. Adm. Code 734 regulations. The decision to allow an additional hearing creates a positive atmosphere between the governing body and the citizens in that adequate representation is made among the entire state. I want to personally thank each and everyone involved for allowing me the opportunity to be heard. The later part of July would be the most sufficient time in order for me to attend the additional hearing. Again I want to thank everyone involved for allowing me the opportunity to be heard.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Bowling". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Jim Bowling, EIT

P.O. Box 208
Dahlgren, IL 62828

3108 Apple Ave.
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864


May 4, 2005

Clerk's Office
Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Sir or Madam:

Thank you for considering my letter requesting that additional hearings be held in Southern Illinois regarding case R04-22 and 23, the proposed amendments to Part 732 and Part 734 Regulations. I would like to request that the additional hearings, if possible, be held in late July.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Melanie Martin".

Melanie Martin

May 4, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

RE: #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in correspondence to the Illinois Pollution Control Board's (IPCB) decision concerning the proposed 35 Ill. Adm. Code 734 Regulations. I appreciate the decision that has been reached regarding the request to extend hearings regarding the proposed regulations. I also am pleased that the hearings will be held in southern Illinois in order to allow citizens from that region to be more conveniently involved with the hearings. I would be available to attend the hearing any time subsequent to June 15th. Thank you for taking into consideration my concerns regarding this issue.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Owens', with a stylized, cursive script.

Mark Owens

P.O. Box 203
Ina, IL 62846

May 4, 2005

Daniel R. Ruark
1881 Richview Road
Mt. Vernon, Illinois 62864

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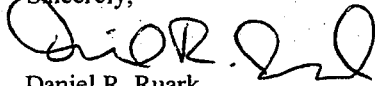
Re: Pollution Control Board Hearings on New LUST Rules

To Whom It May Concern:

It has come to my attention that the Illinois Pollution Control Board has agreed to have hearings in Southern Illinois regarding the proposed new Leaking Underground Storage Tank Regulations. I would like to thank the Board for agreeing to hold hearings in my part of the State. This is an important issue to residents here and we are glad to have the opportunity to attend these hearings personally.

Due to reasons of travel abroad and professional obligations, I respectfully request that the timing of the hearings be such that they take place in late July or August.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel R. Ruark", written in a cursive style.

Daniel R. Ruark

May 2, 2005

Clerk's Office
Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St. Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

Reference: #R04-22/23

Gentlemen:

First I would like to thank the IPCB for the time and attention you paid to my previous letter and your acknowledgement of the need for additional hearings in the Southern Illinois area. I look forward to attending the meetings as soon as a published schedule is made available.

Concerning timing for the meetings, I would like to suggest the latter part of July. At this time I am open the last two weeks of July. Previous to that I have numerous personal and business engagements that would have to be worked around.

I hope this time frame works for other interested parties and the IPCB. If scheduled at a different time I will do my best to still attend, schedule permitting.

Sincerely,

Dennis J. Schweigert (mm)

Dennis J. Schweigert

Dennis Hillen
705 S. 44th Street
Mount Vernon, IL 62864
March 16, 2005

Dorothy Gunn
Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 West Randolph St.
Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

Dear Ms. Gunn:

First, thank you for you addressing my concerns regarding additional hearings in the Southern Illinois region. It gave me great pleasure to see that my letter made a difference.

Second, because of the upcoming hectic summer months, I propose that the hearings be held in late July to accommodate weddings, graduations, holidays, and children becoming accustomed to summer break.

Thank you for your attention on this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dennis Hillen".

Dennis Hillen

BARRY F. SINK
10964 LINCOLN RD.
BENTON, IL 62812

MAY 05, 2005

CLERK'S OFFICE
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RE: R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

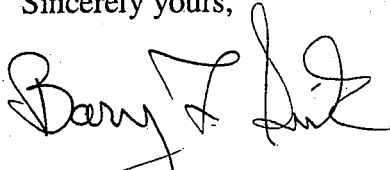
Please allow me to express my appreciation to the Illinois Pollution Control Board for listening to my request for additional hearings on the proposed amendments to the Regulation of Petroleum Leaking Underground Storage Tanks Part 732 and Part 734 Regulations.

I would like to submit the following dates that I will be unavailable for hearing:

- June 6 through June 19
- July 1 through July 6
- July 22
- July 28 and 29

In general, I would recommend that the hearing be conducted after July 8, 2005.

Sincerely yours,



Barry F. Sink

May 5, 2005

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Chicago, IL 60601

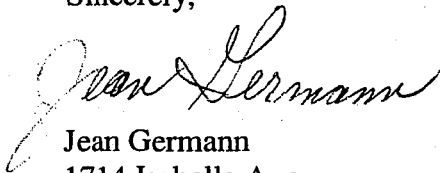
Re: Illinois Pollution Control Board #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to thank you for the response for my request of additional hearings by the Pollution Control Board on the proposed amendments to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Leaking Underground Storage Tank Regulations Part 732 and Part 734 and also your consideration of having the hearings to be held in Southern Illinois. The days in June or July are unavailable for me to attend so I am asking the hearings to be held in late July.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jean Germann". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name and address.

Jean Germann
1714 Isabella Ave.
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

Tyler Sink
1402 N. DuQuoin St.
Benton, IL 62812

May 6, 2005

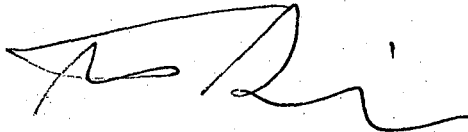
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Chicago, IL 60601

RE: #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

The Illinois Pollution Control Board's (IPCB) choice to have additional hearings in regards to the proposed 35 Ill. Adm. Code 734 regulations is very encouraging. The decision to have this hearing in southern Illinois is even more encouraging. As a resident of Southern Illinois, I am excited at the chance to take part and witness the law making process. I would like to encourage the IPCB to schedule the hearings sometime in the middle of this summer or later. I appreciate this opportunity, and look forward to this hearing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tyler Sink', written in a cursive style.

Tyler Sink

May 6, 2005

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Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

RE: R04-22 and R04-23

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to thank the Illinois Pollution Control Board for agreeing to schedule another hearing in regard to R04-22 and R04-23. I would also like to express my appreciation that the Board agreed to hold this hearing in southern Illinois.

In response to the Board's request that interested parties identify dates they would not be available to attend this hearing, I am unavailable during the month of June. As a result, I respectfully request that the Board consider scheduling the hearing during the latter half of July.

Respectfully,


Duane Doty

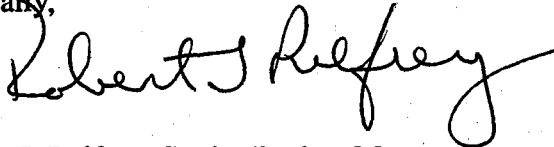
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RE: Illinois Pollution Control Board Proposed Rules 04-22 and 04-23

Dear Hearing Officer,

Thank you for granting additional hearings on this important matter of proposed rules for Leaking Underground Storage Tank sites. It is my understanding that the additional hearings are proposed for June. I must request a delay until July as my schedule includes important field work at two project sites in June. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert J. Pulfrey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping "R" and "P".

Robert J. Pulfrey, Senior Project Manager

May 6, 2005

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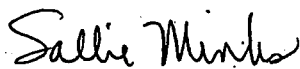
RE: Illinois Pollution Control Board #R04-22/23

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter to compliment the Illinois Pollution Control Board for their efforts in allowing representation from citizens across the entire state of Illinois. By allowing an additional hearing in Southern Illinois, I have been given ample opportunity to participate in the law making process. Due to previous engagements I am only available for the hearings to be conducted during the latter part of July.

Again, I want to thank everyone involved for allowing my voice to be heard.

Sincerely,


Sallie Minks
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