

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
October 13, 2005

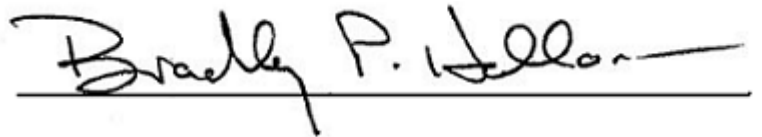
GUTMANN LEATHER COMPANY, INC.,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 00-204
) (Permit Appeal - Air)
 ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
 PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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 Respondent.)

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On October 12, 2005, the petitioner informed the hearing officer that due to a conflict, it would be unable to appear at the scheduled telephonic status conference on October 13, 2005. The petitioner represented that internal discussions continue, including discussions with its consultant. The petitioner represented that it will forward the draft petition to the respondent in the next 7 days for its review and comments.

The parties are directed to participate in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer on December 15, 2005, at 11:15 a.m. The status conference must be initiated by the petitioner, but each party nonetheless is responsible for its own appearance. At the status conference, the parties must be prepared to discuss the status of the above-captioned matter and their readiness for hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



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