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Dear Dorothy Gunn

Your rules Listed below met our codification standards and have been published in Volume 30, Issue 25 of the Illinois Register, dated 06/23/2006.

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Notice of Public Information Pursuant to 415 ILCS 5/7.2(b)

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION PURSUANT TO 415 ILCS 5/7.2(b)

In this Notice of Public Information under Section 7.2(b) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (Act), 415 ILCS 5/7.2(b) (2006), the Board explains why it has extended until September 14, 2006 the deadline for adoption and filing of rules in the following consolidated identical in substance rulemaking: UIC Corrections, USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005, R06-16; RCRA Subtitle D Update, USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005 and August 1, 2005), R06-17; RCRA Subtitle C Update, USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005 and August 1, 2005), R06-18 (consolidated).

The public comment period was scheduled to close June 5, 2006, 45 days after Illinois Register publication of the proposal on April 21, 2006. The Board extended the public comment deadline in response to a May 18, 2006 request made by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency). In its motion, the Agency stated, "due to the large volume of the consolidated rulemaking and the fact that the new [35 Ill. Adm. Code 727] Part 727 Standardized Permit changes are far reaching, the Illinois EPA needs more time to evaluate how the new regulations are intertwined with the existing regulations." The Board granted the Agency motion by an order dated June 1, 2006, allowing the filing of public comments until June 30, 2006. The extension of the public comment period means the Board cannot meet its planned schedule for timely final rule adoption and filing, requiring an adoption extension for roughly the same period of time as the public comment extension.

The original due date for filing this rulemaking with the Secretary of State's Index department was August 5, 2006 (one year after the earliest federal action that is included in the identical-in-substance update). The Board calculates that the earliest date by which it can complete this proceeding, allow for receipt of any comments from the United States Environmental Protection Agency, and file the adopted amendments with the Office of the Secretary of State is September 14, 2006.

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