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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

W.R. MEADOWS, INC.,

Petitioner,

vs.

Case No. PCB 06-140

(Permit Appeal - Air)

Respondent.

### **NOTICE OF FILING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 2006, a copy of the attached Time Certain Waiver of Statutory Decision Deadline was filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, a copy of which is herewith served on fou.

Dated: August 30, 2006

Respectfully Submitted,

On behalf of W.R. MEAI OWS, INC., Petitioner

By: Hinshaw & Culbertsch LLP

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# TIME CERTAIN WAIVER OF STATUTORY DECISION LEADLINE

NOW COMES the Petitioner, W. R. MEADOWS, INC., pursuant to 35 Ill. Admin. Code §101.308(c)(2) and files its *Time Certain Waiver of Statutory Decision Leadline* to extend the current statutory deadline for a final Board decision in this permit appeal proceeding as specified in Section 40 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/40 (the "Act").

In support of its Time Certain Waiver of Statutory Decision Deadline, Petitioner states:

- 1. On March 2, 2006, at the request of Petitioner and Respondent, the Pollution Control Board extended the time period for W. R. Meadows, Inc. to appeal a January 30, 2006, determination of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("IEPA" or "Agency"), which denied Petitioner's application for renewal of an Operating Permit for existing equipment and processes at its Kane County facility.
- 2. On May 3, 2006, Petitioner timely filed its Petition for Review in accordance with the Board's March 2<sup>nd</sup> Order. On May 4, 2006, the Board issued an Order accepting Meadows' Petition for Review for hearing and decision on the issues presented.
- 3. Petitioner and Respondent have undertaken discussions to explore the possibility of settlement. If this matter can be resolved by settlement, the expenditure of time and resources associated with proceeding to hearing and final Board decision will be avoided.

4. To allow sufficient time for the parties to finalize settlement discussions, Petitioner waives the current statutory decision deadline of November 29 2006, and requests a 90-day extension to February 27, 2007, for the Board's decision in this projecting.

Dated: August 30, 2006

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| Respondent.                               | )<br>)                    |   |

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that on this 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 206, I have served the attached *Time Certain Waiver of Statutory Decision Deadline*, by depositing same via First Class U.S. Mail with proper postage prepaid, upon the following persons:

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601

Honorable Bradley J. Halloran Hearing Officer James R. Thompson Center Illinois Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601

Dated: August 30, 2006

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Re:

W.R. Meadows, Inc. v. IEPA

Case No. PCB 06-140 (Permit Appeal - Air)

Dear Ms. Gunn:

On behalf of the Petitioner, W.R. Meadows, Inc., we are enclosing for filing an original and ten (10) copies of our Notice of Filing, Time Certain Waiver of Statutory Decision Deadline and Certificate of Service. Please return one file-stamped copy of each document to us in the postage-paid, self-addressed envelope enclosed for your convenience.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned for any questions of comments.

Very truly yours,

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cc: David Carey, W.R. Meadows, Inc. (w/enclosure)



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