ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD November 1, 2007

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLIINOIS,)	
Complainant,)	
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V.)	PCB 99-134
)	(Enforcement - Water)
PEABODY COAL COMPANY, LLC, a)	
Delaware corporation,)	
)	
Respondent)	

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On November 1, 2007, all parties participated in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer. The complainant represented that the respondent is in compliance, however, the parties are still proceeding with settlement discussions. The complainant represented that it will respond to the respondent's latest settlement offer.

The parties are directed to participate in a telephonic status conference on January 10, 2008, at 10:30 a.m. The telephonic status conference must be initiated by the complainant, but each party is nonetheless 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.

Bradley P. Halloran Hearing Officer

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing hearing officer order were mailed, first class, on November 1, 2007, to each of the persons on the attached service list.

It is hereby certified that a true copy of the foregoing order was hand delivered to the following on November 1, 2007:

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