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**BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD** 

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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

7-ELEVEN, INC., Petitioner,

v.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, Respondent.

PCB 08-(UST Appeal – Ninety Day Extension)

### **NOTICE**

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John Therriault Assistant Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601-3218 Ken Hilliard Manager, Environmental Services 7-Eleven, Inc. Box 711 Dallas, Texas 75221-0711

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have today caused to be filed a REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD with the Illinois Pollution Control Board, copies of which are served upon you.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

James G. Richardson Assistant Counsel

Dated: April 16, 2008 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 217/782-5544

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## REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD

NOW COMES the Respondent, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Illinois EPA"), by one of its attorneys, James G. Richardson, Assistant Counsel, and, pursuant to Section 40(a)(1) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/40(a)(1)) and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 105.208, hereby requests that the Illinois Pollution Control Board ("Board") grant an extension of the thirty-five (35) day period for petitioning for a hearing to July 17, 2008, or any other date not more than a total of one hundred twenty-five (125) days from the date of receipt of the Illinois EPA's final decision. In support thereof, the Illinois EPA respectfully states as follows:

1. On March 12, 2008 the Illinois EPA issued a final decision to the Petitioner.

2. On April 9, 2008, the Petitioner made a written request to the Illinois EPA for an extension of time by which to file a petition for review, asking the Illinois EPA to join in requesting that the Board extend the thirty-five day period for filing a petition by ninety days.

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3. The additional time requested by the parties may eliminate the need for a hearing in this matter or, in the alternative, allow the parties to identify issues and limit the scope of any hearing that may be necessary to resolve this matter.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, the parties request that the Board, in the interest of administrative and judicial economy, grant this request for a ninety-day extension of the thirty-five day period for petitioning for a hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

James G. Richardson

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Dated: April 16, 2008

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Mr. Ken Hilliard 7-Eleven, Inc. (Loc.0148) Dallas, TX 75221-0711

Re: LPC #0312465032 -- Cook County Park Ridge/7-Eleven 814 West Higgins Road Leaking UST Incident No. 891536, 891810, 961056, 20010503 Leaking UST Technical File

Dear Mr. Hilliard:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has reviewed the Corrective Action Plan Budget (budget) submitted for the above-referenced incident. This budget, dated Janaury 28, 2008, was received by the Illinois EPA on January 30, 2008. Citations in this letter are from the Environmental Protection Act (Act), as amended by Public Act 92-0554 on June 24, 2002, and 35 Illinois Administrative Code (35 Ill. Adm. Code).

The budget is rejected for the reason(s) listed below. (Sections 57.7(b)(3) and 57.7(c) of the Act and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 734.630 and 734.655).

Costs incurred after receipt of a No Further Remediation Letter for the occurrence for which the No Further Remediation Letter was received are ineligible for payment from the Fund pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 734.630(gg). In addition, such costs are not approved pursuant to Section 57.7(c)(3) of the Act because they are not site investigation or corrective action costs.

All future correspondence must be submitted to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Bureau of Land - #24 Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

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Please submit all correspondence in duplicate and include the Re: block shown at the beginning of this letter.

An underground storage tank system owner or operator may appeal this decision to the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Appeal rights are attached.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please contact Jennifer Rossi at 217-782-9285.

Sincerely,

Clifford Z Wheele,

Clifford L. Wheeler Unit Manager Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section Division of Remediation Management Bureau of Land

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Attachment: Appeal Rights

c: Kevin Hedinger, ENSR Corporation BOL File

#### Appeal Rights

An underground storage tank owner or operator may appeal this final decision to the Illinois Pollution Control Board pursuant to Sections 40 and 57.7(c)(4) of the Act by filing a petition for a hearing within 35 days after the date of issuance of the final decision. However, the 35-day period may be extended for a period of time not to exceed 90 days by written notice from the owner or operator and the Illinois EPA within the initial 35-day appeal period. If the owner or operator wishes to receive a 90-day extension, a written request that includes a statement of the date the final decision was received, along with a copy of this decision, must be sent to the Illinois EPA as soon as possible.

For information regarding the filing of an appeal, please contact:

Dorothy Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board State of Illinois Center 100 West Randolph, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601 312/814-3620

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For information regarding the filing of an extension, please contact:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Division of Legal Counsel 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276 217/782-5544

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned attorney at law, hereby certify that on April 16, 2008 I served true and correct copies of a REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD by first class mail of the United States Postal Service upon the persons as follows:

John Therriault Assistant Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, Illinois 60601-3218 Ken Hilliard Manager, Environmental Services 7-Eleven, Inc. Box 711 Dallas, Texas 75221-0711

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