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STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board

Re: Case No. AS 08-10 Delisting of electric arc furnace dust

Dear People,

- 1 -- I request that the IPCB hold a public hearing on this matter at a time and place convenient to the people of Peoria County and adjacent counties.
- 2 -- Correction: The legal notice published by Peoria Disposal Co. states that "PDC seeks the delisting of residues from the treatment of Electric Arc Furnace ("EAF) dust created by steel mills, which residues are generated at PDC's waste stabilization facility located at 4349 W. Soutport Rd., Peoria, Illinois 61615."

The legal notice falsely states that the "residues from the treatment of EAF dust . . . are generated" at PDC's facility. They are in fact generated at steel mills and then delivered to PDC's stabilization facility" for later landfill disposal. PDC is not the generator. The steel mills are . PDC simply adds a thickener (stabilizer) to keep the dust from blowing away while later being dumped into and long left in an open landfill.

Sincerely, Tom Edwards 902 W. Moss Ave.

Peoria, IL 61606

P.S. This dust contains toxic materials, and can be loaded with them, I've been advised.