


PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on December 19, 2011, I electronically filed with the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board of the State of Illinois, James A. Vroman's Motion to Withdraw as counsel for Respondent, FREEMAN UNITED COAL MINING COMPANY, LLC, a copy of which is attached hereto and herewith served upon you.

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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,)
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 Complainant,)
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 ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND)
 POLICY CENTER, on behalf of PRAIRIE)
 RIVERS NETWORK and SIERRA CLUB,)
 ILLINOIS CHAPTER)
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 Intervenor,)
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 v.)
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 FREEMAN UNITED COAL MINING)
 COMPANY, LLC,)
 a Delaware limited liability company, and)
 SPRINGFIELD COAL COMPANY, LLC,)
 a Delaware limited liability company,)
)
 Respondents.)

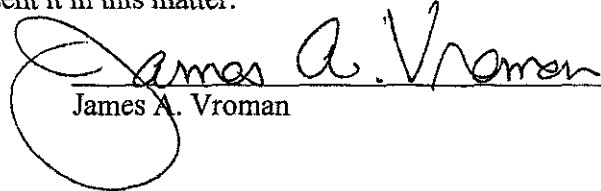
PCB NO. 10-061
(Water Enforcement)

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PCB NO. 2011-002
(Water Enforcement)
(Consolidated)

MOTION TO WITHDRAW

James A. Vroman, counsel for Respondent, FREEMAN UNITED COAL MINING COMPANY, LLC ("Freeman United"), hereby requests an order permitting his withdrawal effective December 31, 2011, as counsel in the above-captioned matter. After more than 30 years of practicing law, Mr. Vroman will be retiring from the practice of law. Jenner & Block attorneys, E. Lynn Grayson, Steven M. Siros and Allison A. Torrence will continue to represent Freeman United in this matter. Freeman United has been informed of Mr. Vroman's retirement and of his motion to withdraw as counsel. Freeman United understands that Ms. Grayson, Mr. Siros and Ms. Torrence will continue to represent it in this matter.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

NOW COMES Allison A. Torrence, counsel for Respondent, Freeman United Coal Mining Company, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and provides proof of service of the attached Motion to Withdraw and Notice of Electronic Filing upon the parties listed on the attached Service List, by having a true and correct copy affixed with proper postage placed in the U.S. Mail at Jenner & Block LLP, 353 North Clark Street, Chicago, IL 60654-3456, at or before 5:00 p.m., on December 19, 2011.


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