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ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD January 17, 2013

STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board

PRAIRIE RIVERS NETWORK and SIERRA CLUB,)
Petitioners,)
v.))) PCB 13-21
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL) (Third-Party NPDES Permit Appeal)
PROTECTION AGENCY and PEABODY)
GATEWAY NORTH MINING LLC,)
)
Respondents.)
)

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On January 17, 2013, the parties participated in a telephone status conference with the hearing officer. The parties are exchanging information as part of their settlement discussions. The hearing officer granted the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's motions for leave to file the record *instanter* and to file a reduced number of copies. At the next status conference, another decision deadline waiver will be discussed.

The parties are directed to participate in a telephone status conference with the hearing officer at 9:30 a.m. on February 11, 2013. The conference call-in number is (312) 795-3749, bridge 2, passcode 3572.

The decision deadline is May 16, 2013.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were mailed, first class, on January 17, 2013, 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 January 17, 2013:

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