ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD April 11, 2013

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IN THE MATTER OF:)			PR 1 1 2013
WATER QUALITY STANDARDS AND EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS FOR THE CHICAGO AREA WATERWAY SYSTEM)	R08-9 D (Rulemaking - Water)	STAT Pollution	E OF ILLINOIS on Control Board
AND LOWER DES PLAINES RIVER PROPOSED: AMENDMENTS TO 35 ILL. ADM. CODE 301, 302, 303, and 304)))		7	OD rom
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NOTICE OF HEARINGS

DATES, TIMES, AND PLACES:

July 29, 2013 10:30 a.m. Room 9-040 100 W. Randolph James R. Thompson Building Chicago, IL

PURPOSE OF HEARINGS:

Merit and Economic

ATTENDING BOARD MEMBERS:

D. Glosser

HEARING OFFICER:

Marie E. Tipsord

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On February 21, 2013, the Board adopted a first notice opinion and order in Subdocket C proposing aquatic life uses for the Chicago Area Waterways System and the Lower Des Plaines River. On April 9, 2013, a prehearing conference was held in order to schedule additional hearings in this proceeding and discuss how to proceed. At that prehearing conference, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) indicated it would be filing revisions to the original proposal regarding water quality standards. IEPA will also be presenting testimony on those revisions. A hearing date of July 29, 2013 was agreed to by the participants.

IEPA must file its proposed rule revisions and testimony in support of those revisions by May 24, 2013. Prefiled questions for the IEPA must be filed by June 24, 2013. The mail box rule does not apply to these filings. See 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.300.

All filings in this proceeding will be available on the Board's web page at www.ipcb.state.il.us and participants may file electronically on the Board's web page. The prefiled testimony and questions must be served on the persons on the service list, except it is not

necessary to serve the hearing officer with the prefiled testimony and questions for these hearings.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Marie E. Tipsord Hearing Officer

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