

### **Board Adopts Updates to Air Rules**

On October 20, 2011, the Board adopted a final opinion and order in R9-19, In the Matter of: Air Quality Standards Clean-Up: Amendments to 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 243. The rulemaking amends Part 243 of the Board's regulations to reflect updated federal air quality standards for ozone, particulate matter, and lead. The amendments also include technical corrections to Parts 217 and 223. The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency filed the original rulemaking proposal on December 1, 2008.

Opinions and orders of the Board, hearing transcripts, and other documents in rulemaking records are posted on the Board's Web site and may be downloaded from the Web without charge. Hard copies may be obtained at costs determined according to Section 6 of the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/6 (2010)).

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