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STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board

IN THE MATTER OF:

PETITION OF NOVEEN, INC. FOR AN ADJUSTED STANDARD FROM 35 ILL. ADM. CODE 304.122

ILLINOIS POLLI

AS 02-5 (NPDES Adjusted Standard)

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On March 20, 2003, all parties participated in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer. The parties represented that discussions have been ongoing in this matter and the related PCB 91-17 matter. The discussions center on an ammonia issue and a discharge control equipment issue, which are related to both cases. The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency represented that it still intends to file a response in this matter on or before May 15, 2003. The parties are directed to submit a proposed discovery schedule on or before June 16, 2003. It is anticipated that this matter will go to hearing in October 2003.

The parties are directed to participate in a telephonic status conference on May 13, 2003, at 10:30 a.m. The conference shall be initiated by the petitioner, but each party is nonetheless responsible for its own appearance. At the conference, the parties must be prepared to discuss the status of the above-captioned matter and their readiness for hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Bradley P. Halloran Hearing Officer Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center, Suite 11-500 100 West Randolph Chicago, Illinois 60601 312.814.8917

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were mailed, first class, to each of the following on March 20, 2003:

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It is hereby certified that a true copy of the foregoing order was hand delivered to the following on March 20, 2003:

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