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the publication of this notice. The hearing request should refer People of the State of Illinois v. Virginia Conservation Legacy Fund, Inc (f/k/a/ Heritage Coal Company, LLC, f/k/a/ Peabody Coal Company, LLC), PCB 99-134 and should be mailed to the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 11500, Chicago, Illinois 60601. Additional information can be obtained through the Office of the Clerk at 312/814-3461 and the Board's website at <http://www.ipcb.state.il.us>

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

NOTICE OF PROPOSED STIPULATION AND PROPOSAL FOR SETTLEMENT OF ENFORCEMENT CASE

The Attorney General has brought a case against the Virginia Conservation Legacy Fund, Inc (f/k/a/ Heritage Coal Company, LLC, f/k/a/ Peabody Coal Company, LLC) for violation of State pollution control rules. On February 25, 2016, the parties filed a stipulation and proposal for settlement. The parties agree that a hearing is unnecessary, and in accordance with State law, have requested that the settlement be adopted without holding a public hearing. Any person desiring that a hearing be held may demand a public hearing in this case by filing a written hearing request with the Illinois Pollution Control Board within 21 days after

Gerald Keenan
Chairman
3/9/16