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POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD DON BROWN 100 W RANDOLPH ST STE 11-500 CHICAGO, IL 60601 CLERK'S OFFICE OCT 17 2018

Dear DON BROWN

Your rules Listed below met our codification standards and have been published in Volume 42, Issue 42 of the Illinois Register, dated 10/19/2018.

PROPOSED RULES

Control of Emissions from Large Combustion Sources (Withdrawal) 35 Ill. Adm. Code 225 Point of Contact: J Mark Powell

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If you have any questions, you may contact the Administrative Code Division at (217) 782 - 7017.

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NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

- 1) <u>Heading of the Part</u>: Control of Emissions from Large Combustion Sources
- 2) <u>Code Citation</u>: 35 Ill. Adm. Code 225
- 3) <u>Section Number</u>: <u>Proposed Action</u>: 225.233 Amendment
- 4) <u>Date Notice of Proposed Amendments Published in the Illinois Register</u>: 41 Ill. Reg. 13299, November 3, 2017.
- 5) <u>Reason for the Withdrawal</u>: The above-cited publication was authorized by the Pollution Control Board's opinion and order of October 19, 2017. See <u>Amendments to 35 Ill.</u> <u>Adm. Code 225.233</u>, <u>Multi-Pollutant Standards (MPS)</u>. These rules are to be codified at 35 Ill. Adm. Code 225.233 and will provide certain coal-fired electric generating units owned by Vistra in central and southern Illinois with additional flexibility in complying with the Multi-Pollutant Standard (MPS) under Part 225, the Illinois mercury rule. The MPS establishes control requirements and emission standards for nitrogen oxides, sulfur dioxide, and mercury. The proposed amendments relate only to the MPS's annual and seasonal emission standards for NOx and annual standard for SO2 and would provide operational flexibility in complying with those standards while protecting air quality.

The Board's first Notice of Proposed Amendments was published November 3, 2017 at 41 Ill. Reg. 13299. Based on public comments from citizens, State legislative representatives, and units of local government, the Board made changes to the notice provisions of the rules and determined to withdraw the original first notice to allow for additional comment and hearing on the proposal.

Questions regarding this matter should reference Board Docket R18-20, and be directed to:

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