BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

INEOS JOLIET, LLC,)
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Petitioner,)
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V.)
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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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Respondent.)

PCB 16-24 (Time-Limited Water Quality Standard)

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(SEE PERSONS ON ATTACHED SERVICE LIST)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have today filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board an **PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ITS PETITION FOR TIME-LIMITED WATER QUALITY STANDARD,** copies of which are herewith served upon you.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 1, 2019

By: /s/ Michael P. Murphy One of Its Attorneys

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I, the undersigned, on oath state that I have served the attached PETITIONER'S

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND ITS PETITION FOR TIME-LIMITED WATER

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Petitioner, INEOS Joliet, LLC ("Petitioner"), by and through its attorneys,

HEPLERBROOM, LLC, submits to the Illinois Pollution Control Board ("Board") its Motion for Leave to Amend its Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard. In support of its motion, Petitioner states as follows:

1. Petitioner filed its Amended Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard for Temperature ("Amended Petition") on July 26, 2018.

2. The Amended Petition was supplemented by certain information provided in Midwest Generation, LLC's ("MWGen") Amended Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard for temperature ("MWGen Amended Petition") filed with the Board in PCB No. 16-19 on June 27, 2018, which provided information that is commonly applicable to dischargers that may be covered by this temperature multi-discharger TLWQS. The Amended Petition provided Petitioner's discharger-specific information required for coverage under the temperature multidischarger TLWQS and, where appropriate, referenced and incorporated required information provided in the MWGen Amended Petition.

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3. On February 4, 2019, Petitioner filed its Motion for Substitution of Parties, seeking to substitute INEOS Joliet, LLC as the Petitioner. That motion remains pending.

4. The Board has not yet decided whether Petitioner's Amended Petition is in substantial compliance. *See* Hearing Officer Order of November 20, 2018; 35 ILL. ADM. CODE 104.545.

5. On January 25, 2019, MWGen filed in PCB No. 16-19 a Motion for Leave to Amend its Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard. Petitioner's Motion for Leave to Amend Its Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard, PCB 16-19 (III.Pol.Control.Bd. Jan. 25, 2019). In this motion, MWGen requested the Board to grant it leave to amend its petition to address certain areas of interest by the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("U.S. EPA"). *Id.* at 2-3. MWGen further stated: "If the Board has begun reviewing the current petition for substantial compliance under 35 ILL. ADM. CODE 104.545, MWGen respectfully requests that the Board suspend review so that MWGen, IEPA, and U.S. EPA can conclude their discussions and the amendments can be presented for the Board's review and consideration." *Id.* at 3.

6. The relief requested by Petitioner in this matter is dependent upon the information contained in MWGen's petition and the relief granted to MWGen by the Board in PCB No. 16-19. Petitioner therefore respectfully requests the Board to grant it leave to amend its Amended Petition after MWGen has amended its petition so that Petitioner can incorporate, as appropriate, the additional and new information provided by MWGen. Further, as requested by MWGen, if the Board has begun reviewing the current Amended Petition for substantial compliance, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board suspend review until after the Amended Petition

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has been amended so that the amendments can be considered by the Board prior to assessing substantial compliance.

7. Counsel for Petitioner has conferred with Illinois EPA and Illinois EPA has advised that it has no objection to the relief requested in this motion.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner, INEOS Joliet, LLC, respectfully requests that the Illinois Pollution Control Board grant this Motion for Leave to Amend its Petition for Time-Limited Water Quality Standard.

Respectfully submitted,

INEOS JOLIET, LLC, Petitioner,

Dated: April 1, 2019

By: <u>/s/ Michael P. Murphy</u> Michael P. Murphy

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