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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, )  
 )  
Complainant, )  
 )  
-vs- )  
 )  
PATTISON ASSOCIATES LLC, an )  
Illinois limited liability company, )  
and 5701 SOUTH CALUMET LLC, an )  
Illinois limited liability company, )  
 )  
Respondents. )

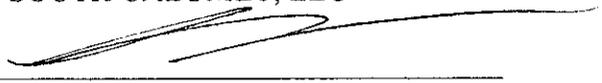
No. PCB 05-181  
(Enforcement – Air)

**NOTICE OF FILING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that we have today, December 20, 2005, filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board an original and nine (10) copies of the attached Respondents' Motion to Withdraw Affirmative Defenses, a true and correct copy of which is hereby served upon you.

DATED: December 20, 2005

Respectfully submitted,  
PATTISON ASSOCIATES, LLC and  
5701 SOUTH CALUMET, LLC

By:   
One of Their Attorneys

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**RESPONDENTS' MOTION TO WITHDRAW AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES**

Respondents, PATTISON ASSOCIATES, LLC and 5701 SOUTH CALUMET, LLC (collectively, "Pattison"), by their attorneys, move to Withdraw the Affirmative Defenses asserted in their Answer to Claimant's Complaint at Law.

WHEREFORE, respondents, Pattison Associates, LLC and 5701 South Calumet, LLC respectfully request that their Motion to Withdraw the Affirmative Defenses asserted in its Answer be granted.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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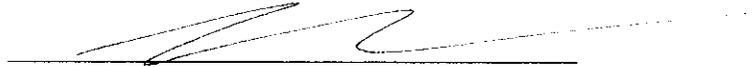
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Allyson L. Wilcox, an attorney, hereby certifies that she caused a copy of the attached Respondents' Motion to Withdraw Affirmative Defenses to be served upon:

Paula Becker Wheeler  
Office of the Attorney General  
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Bradley P. Halloran  
Hearing Officer  
Illinois Pollution Control Board  
James R. Thompson Center, Ste. 11-500  
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Chicago, Illinois 60601

Via regular U.S. Mail, postage pre-paid, on December 20, 2005.



Allyson L. Wilcox