

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
December 29, 1983

G.D. SEARLE & CO. AND SEARLE )  
FOOD RESOURCES, INC. AND PARK )  
FOREST SOUTH UTILITIES COMPANY, )  
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Petitioners, ) PCB 83-73  
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v. )  
 )  
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL )  
PROTECTION AGENCY, )  
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Respondent. )

CONCURRING OPINION (by J. D. Dumelle):

My concurrence is based upon the excessive length of the variance grant. Instead of a five year period I would have made it three years.

The Board Opinion contains a great many intermediate checkpoint dates for submission of reports and studies, etc. A shorter period would enable Board review after three years to determine if these dates were, in fact, met.

A second reason for a shorter period of variance grant is that the Agency's comprehensive water basin studies for this area might be then available and could provide additional guidance to the Board.

Respectfully submitted,



Jacob D. Dumelle  
Chairman

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, do hereby certify that the above Concurring Opinion was filed on the 3<sup>RD</sup> day of January 1984.



Christan L. Moffett, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board