

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
November 16, 2006

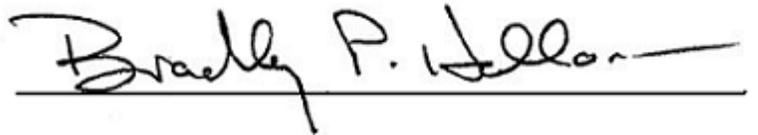
K.A.STEEL CHEMICAL, INC.,)	
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Petitioner,)	
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v.)	PCB 07-9
)	(NPDES Permit Appeal – Water)
ILLINOIS ENVIROMENTAL PROTECTION)	
AGENCY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On November 16, 2006, all parties participated in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer. The parties represented that the discussions have been ongoing and are optimistic that a draft permit will be approved in the near future. The petitioner represented that it will file a 80-day waiver of the statutory decision deadline.

The parties or their legal representatives are directed to participate in a telephonic status conference on January 25, 2007, at 11:45 a.m. The status conference must be initiated by the petitioner, but each party is nonetheless responsible for its own appearance. At the status conference, the parties must be prepared to discuss the status of the above-captioned matter and their readiness for hearing. If, however, a motion to voluntarily dismiss is filed prior to the next status conference, the conference will be cancelled without further notice.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



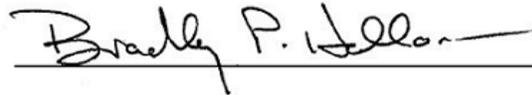
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were mailed, first class, on November 16, 2006, to each of the persons on the attached service list.

It is hereby certified that a true copy of the foregoing order was hand delivered to the following on November 16, 2006:

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Bradley P. Halloran", is written over a horizontal line.

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