ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD July 3, 1990

PEOPLE OF THE STATE

OF ILLINOIS,

Complainant,

v.

PCB 90-70
(Enforcement)

CARAVELLE WOOD
PRODUCTS, INC., an
Illinois Corporation,

Respondent.

APPEARANCE FOR THE COMPLAINANT BY JOSEPH ANNUNZIO, ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL and MICHELLE JORDAN, ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL.

APPEARANCE FOR THE RESPONDENT BY ANDREW D. ROSS, MCGRANE, PEROZZI, STELTER, GERARDI, BRAVER & ROSS.

OPINION AND ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Marlin):

This matter comes before the Board upon a complaint filed April 20, 1990 on behalf of the People of the State of Illinois ("People"), by and through its attorney, Neil F. Hartigan, Attorney General of the State of Illinois, against Caravelle Wood Products, Inc., (Caravelle) located in Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois. The complaint alleges that Caravelle has violated Section 9(b) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act ("Act"), Ill. Rev. Stat. 1989, ch. $111\frac{1}{2}$, pars. 1001, et seq., and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 201.143 of the Board's rules and regulations.

Hearing on this matter was held June 13, 1990 in Chicago, Illinois. At hearing, the parties submitted a Stipulation and Settlement Agreement, executed by the parties. The Stipulation sets forth facts pertaining to the nature, operations, and circumstances surrounding the claimed violations. Caravelle admits to past violations of Section 9(b) of the Act and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 201.143 and agrees to pay a civil penalty of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500). Caravelle further agrees to cease and desist from the alleged violations.

The Board finds the Settlement Agreement acceptable under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 103.180. This Settlement Agreement in no way affects Respondent's responsibility to comply with any federal, state or local regulations, including but not limited to the Act and the Board's pollution control regulations.

This Opinion constitutes the Board's findings of fact and conclusions of law in this matter.

ORDER

- 1.) The Board hereby accepts the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement executed by the People of the State of Illinois and Caravelle Wood Products, Inc., concerning Caravelle's operations located in Chicago Heights, Cook County, Illinois. The Stipulation and Settlement Agreement are incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein.
- Caravelle shall pay the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) within 30 days of the date of this Order. Such payment shall be made by certified check or money order payable to the Treasurer of the State of Illinois, designated to the Environmental Protection Trust Fund, and shall be sent by First Class mail to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Fiscal Services Division 2200 Churchill Road P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

Caravelle shall also write its Federal Employer Identification Number or Social Security Number on the certified check or money order.

Section 41 of the Environmental Protection Act, Ill. Rev. Stat. 1989, ch. $111\frac{1}{2}$, par. 1041, provides for appeal of final Orders of the Board within 35 days. The Rules of the Supreme Court of Illinois establish filing requirements.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Board Member J. Theodore Meyer dissented.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Opinion and Order was adopted on the day of the filter of the policy of t

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk

Illinois Pollution Control Board