## ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD April 8, 1976

ILLINOIS NATURAL HISTORY S	URVEY, )
Petiti	oner, )
	) )
v.	) PCB 76-44 )
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION A	GENCY, )
Respon	dent.

CONCURRING OPINION (by Mr. Dumelle):

My reason for concurring in this case is that the record does not explain why alternative techniques such as electroshocking or seining are not viable. All that is present is a conclusion that they are not.

Wherever possible, the introduction of chemicals to a body of water ought to be avoided. Research may not have been done on all possible synergistic effects and at some future date we may wish that non-chemical means of counting fish had been used.

Submitted by

Jacob D. Dumelle

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify the above Concurring Opinion was submitted on the 19-15 day of April, 1976.

Christan L. Moffett, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board