

BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Scott H. Huelsing )  
(Property Identification Number ) PCB 11-  
12-12-011-008 ) (Tax Certification)  
)

NOTICE

Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board  
James R. Thompson Center  
100 West Randolph Street, Suite. 11-500  
Chicago, Illinois 60601

Scott H. Huelsing  
16204 E. 1635<sup>th</sup> Street  
Effingham, Illinois 62401

Steve Santarelli  
Illinois Department of Revenue  
101 West Jefferson  
Post Office Box 19033  
Springfield, Illinois 62794

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that I have today filed with the Office of the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board an **APPEARANCE AND THE RECOMMENDATION** of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

By: Vera Herst  
Vera Herst  
Assistant Counsel  
Division of Legal Counsel

DATED: April 28, 2011

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

Bohnerts Jerseys-East Moline )  
(Property Identification Number ) PCB 11-  
092-710-0001 ) (Tax Certification)  
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A P P E A R A N C E

The undersigned, as one of its attorneys, hereby enters an APPEARANCE on behalf of Respondent,  
Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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RECOMMENDATION

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Illinois EPA") hereby files its Recommendation pursuant to Section 125.204 of the regulations of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, 35 Ill. Adm. Code 125.204.

1. On February 1, 2010, the Illinois EPA received a request from Scott H. Huelsing (log number TC-03-10, Exhibit A) for an Illinois EPA recommendation regarding the tax certification of water pollution control facilities pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 125.204.
2. The applicant's address is: Scott H. Huelsing  
16204 E. 1625<sup>th</sup> Street  
Effingham, Illinois 62401
3. The proposed water pollution control facilities in this request are located at SW ¼ of Section 11, T8N, R6E of the 3rd PM in Effingham County, at the above street address and consist of the following:

Livestock waste management facilities consisting of one concrete manure pit (approximately 41 ft. x 120 ft. x 8 ft. deep) and a slotted concrete portion of the floor over the manure pit. Livestock waste management facilities consisting of two concrete manure pits (each approximately 51 ft. x 193 ft. x 8 ft. deep) with six concrete pump out pits (each approximately 6 ft. x 6 ft. x 8 ft. deep) and a slotted concrete portion of the floor over the manure pits. Livestock waste management facility consisting of one concrete composter manure pit (approximately 23 ft. x 60 ft. x 5.5 ft. deep) with a roof.

These livestock waste management facilities are used to collect, transport and/or store livestock wastes prior to cropland application, and are further described in Exhibit A.

4. Section 11-10 of the Property Tax Code, 35 ILCS 200/11-10 (2008), defines

“pollution control facilities” as:

“any system, method, construction, device or appliance appurtenant thereto or any portion of any building or equipment, that is designed, constructed, installed or operated for the primary purpose of: (a) eliminating, preventing, or reducing air or water pollution ... or (b) treating, pretreating, modifying or disposing of any potential solid, liquid or gaseous pollutant which if released without treatment, pretreatment modification or disposal might be harmful, detrimental or offensive to human, plant or animal life, or to property.”

5. Pollution control facilities are entitled to preferential tax treatment, 35 ILCS 200/11-5.
6. Based on the information in the application and the purpose of the facilities, it is the Illinois EPA’s engineering judgment that the described facilities may be considered “pollution control facilities,” pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 125.200(a), with the primary purpose of eliminating, preventing, or reducing water pollution, or as otherwise provided in 35 Ill. Adm. Code 125.200, and are eligible for tax certification from the Board.

WHEREFORE, the Illinois EPA recommends that the Board issue the

requested tax certification.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION AGENCY

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PAT QUINN, GOVERNOR

DOUGLAS P. SCOTT, DIRECTOR

# Memorandum

To: Connie Tonsor, Division of Legal Counsel

From: Al Keller, P.E., Manager, Permit Section *AK*

Date: April 14, 2011

Re: Scott H. Huelsing - Effingham  
Recommendation of Tax Certification  
Log # TC-03-10  
Property Identification # 12-12-011-008

The Bureau of Water received a request on February 1, 2010 from Scott H. Huelsing for an Illinois EPA recommendation regarding the tax certification of water pollution control facilities pursuant to 35 Il. Adm. Code 125.204. We offer the following recommendation.

The water pollution control facilities in this request include the following:

Scott H. Huelsing  
1620 E. 1625<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Effingham, IL 62401

SW ¼ of Section 11, T8N, R6E of the 3<sup>rd</sup> P.M. in Effingham County

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These livestock waste management facilities are used to collect, transport and/or store livestock waste prior to cropland application.

These facilities are further described in the enclosed applications and supporting documents.

Based on the information included in this submittal, it is our engineering judgment that the above proposed facilities may be considered "Pollution Control Facilities" under 35 IAC 125.200(a), with the primary purpose of eliminating, preventing, or reducing water pollution, or as otherwise provided in this section, and therefore eligible for tax certification from the Illinois Pollution Control Board. The Bureau of Water therefore recommends that the Board issue the requested tax certification for these facilities.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Keith Runge at 217/782-3362.

SAK:KAR:TC-03-10

Rockford • 4302 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 • (815) 987-7760

Springfield • 505 S. Street, Springfield, IL 60123 • (847) 608-3131

Bureau of Land - Peoria • 7620 N. University St., Peoria, IL 61614 • (309) 693-5462

Collinsville • 2009 Mall Street, Collinsville, IL 62234 • (618) 346-5120

Des Plaines • 9511 W. Harrison St., Des Plaines, IL 60016 • (847) 294-4000

Peoria • 5415 N. University St., Peoria, IL 61614 • (309) 693-5463

Champaign • 2125 S. First St., Champaign, IL 61820 • (217) 278-5800

Marion • 2309 W. Main St., Suite 116, Marion, IL 62959 • (618) 993-7200

Project Name: Scott H. Huelsing  
Reviewer: KAR  
Log No.: TC-03-10

Location: Effingham  
Date: 2-11-10  
Type:  Agchem  
 Livestock

Applicant: Scott H. Huelsing  
16204 E. 1635th Ave  
Effingham, IL 62401  
217-857-6231

Contact: Scott Huelsing  
Phone: 217-857-6231

Facility: same as applicant

Property ID: 12-12-011-008

Legal Description: SW 1/4 Section 11, T8N, R6E

County: Effingham

Date Control Devices Installed: pit 1-1993, pit 2-2004, pit 3-2007, composter-2009  
Provided Fair Cash Value: \$976,000.00

Signature: by Scott H. Huelsing Title: Owner

- Wastes:
- Livestock waste is applied to cropland.
  - Agrichemical rinsate and spillage is recycled through the facility and/or land applied.
  - Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Description of Pollution Control Devices:

one concrete pit 1 ≈ 41 ft x 120 ft x 8 ft, concrete slats, with 6 - 10 inch pvc pumpouts  
one concrete pit 2 ≈ 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft, concrete slats, with 4 concrete pumpouts  
(each ≈ 6 ft x 6 ft x 8 ft deep)  
one concrete pit 3 ≈ 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft, concrete slats, with 4 concrete pumpouts  
(each ≈ 6 ft x 6 ft x 8 ft deep)  
one composter (concrete) ≈ 23 ft x 60 ft x 5.5 ft with roof over top

Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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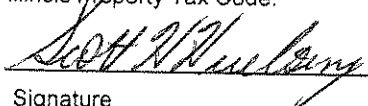
APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION (PROPERTY TAX TREATMENT)  
 POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY  
 AIR  WATER

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
 P. O. Box 19276, Springfield, IL 62794-9276

This Agency is authorized to request this information under Illinois Revised Statutes, 1979, Chapter, 120, Section 502a-5. Disclosure of this information is voluntary. However, failure to comply could prevent your application from being processed or could result in denial of your application for certification.

FOR AGENCY USE					
File No.	Date Received	Certification No.	Date		
Sec. A  APPLICANT	Company Name Scott H. Huelsing				
	Person Authorized to Receive Certification Scott Huelsing		Person to Contact for Additional Details Scott Huelsing		
	Street Address 16204 E. 1635th Ave		Street Address 16204 E. 1635th Ave		
	Municipality, State & Zip Code Effingham, Il 62401		Municipality, State & Zip Code Effingham, Il 62401		
	Telephone Number (217) 857-6231		Telephone Number (217) 857-6231		
	Location of Facility	Township	Range	Municipality	Township
	Quarter Section SW	8N	6E	Effingham	8N
	Street Address 16204 E. 1635th Ave		County Effingham	Book Number	
	Property Identification Number		Parcel Number 12-12-011-008		
	Sec. B  MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS	Nature of Operations Conducted at the Above Location Control and Storage of Swine Manure			
Water Pollution Control Construction Permit No.		Date Issued			
NPDES PERMIT No.		Date Issued	Expiration Date		
Air Pollution Control Construction Permit No.		Date Issued			
Air Pollution Control Operating Permit No.		Date Issued			
Sec. C  MANUFACTURING PROCESS	Describe Unit Process				
	Materials Used in Process				
Sec. D  POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY DESCRIPTION	Describe Pollution Abatement Control Facility				
	Manure Pit 1, 2, & 3 -- Manure pit receives waste directly via gravity from the swine as it is excreted. Concrete manure pit 1 measuring 41 ft x 120 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top. Concrete manure pit 2 measuring 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top. Concrete manure pit 3 measuring 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top. Composter --- 23 ft x 60 ft x 5.5 ft deep with a cover roof.				



POLLUTION CONTROL FACILITY - CONTAMINANTS	Sec. E (1) Nature of Contaminants or Pollutants			
			Material Retained, Captured or Recovered	
	Contaminant or Pollutant	DESCRIPTION	DISPOSAL OR USE	
	Swine manure	Captured	Land applied at or below agronomic rates	
	Sec. E (2) Point(s) of Waste Water Discharge			
	none			
			Plans and Specifications Attached	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
	(3)	Are contaminants (or residues) collected by the control facility?		Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
(4)	Date installation completed _____ status of installation on date of application _____			
ACCOUNTING DATA	(5) a.	FAIR CASH VALUE IF CONSIDERED REAL PROPERTY:	\$ 976,000.00	
	b.	NET SALVAGE VALUE IF CONSIDERED REAL PROPERTY:	\$	
	c.	PRODUCTIVE GROSS ANNUAL INCOME OF CONTROL FACILITY:	\$	
	d.	PRODUCTIVE NET ANNUAL INCOME OF CONTROL FACILITY:	\$	
	e.	PERCENTAGE CONTROL FACILITY BEARS TO WHOLE FACILITY VALUE:	% 41.6	
	SIGNATURE	Sec. F The following information is submitted in accordance with the Illinois Property Tax Code, as amended, and to the best of my knowledge, is true and correct. The facilities claimed herein are "pollution control facilities" as defined in Section 11-10 of the Illinois Property Tax Code.		
 Signature		Owner Title		
INSTRUCTIONS	Sec. G INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPILING AND FILING APPLICATION			
	General: Separate applications must be completed for each control facility claimed. Do not mix types (water and air). Where both air and water operations are related, file two applications. If attachments are needed, record them consecutively on an index sheet.			
	Sec. A	Information refers to applicant as listed in the tax records and the person to be contacted for further details or for inspection of facilities. Define facility location by street address or legal description. A plat map location is required for facilities located outside of municipal boundaries. The property identification number is required.		
	Sec. B	Self-explanatory. Submit copies of all permits issued by local pollution control agencies. (e.g. MSD Construction Permit)		
	Sec. C	Refers to manufacturing processes or materials on which pollution control facility is used.		
	Sec. D	Narrative description of the pollution control facility, indicating that its primary purpose is to eliminate, prevent or reduce pollution. State the type of control facility. State permit number, date, and agency issuing permit. A narrative description and a process flow diagram describing the <u>pollution control facility</u> . Include a listing of each major piece of equipment included in the claimed fair cash value for real property. Include an <u>average</u> analysis of the influent and effluent of the control facility stating the collection efficiency.		
	Sec. E	List air contaminants, or water pollution substances released as effluents to the manufacturing processes. List also the final disposal of any contaminants removed from the manufacturing processes. List also the final disposal of any contaminants removed from the manufacturing processes. Item (1) - Refers to pollutants and contaminants removed from the process by the pollution control facility. Item (2) - Refers to water pollution but can apply to water-carried wastes from air pollution control facilities. Submit drawings, which clearly show (a) Point(s) of discharge to receiving stream, and (b) Sewers and process piping to and from the control facility. Item (3) - If the collected contaminants are disposed of other than as wastes, state the disposition of the materials, and the value in dollars reclaimed by sale or reuse of the collected substances. State the cost of reclamation and related expense. Item (4) - State the date which the pollution control facility was first placed in service and operated. If not, explain. Item (5) - This information is essential to the certification and assessment actions. This accounting data must be completed to activate project review prior to certification by this Agency.		
	Sec. F	Self-explanatory. Signature must be a corporate authorized signature.		
	Submit to: Illinois EPA P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276	Attention: Al Keller Permit Section Division of Water Pollution Control	Attention: Donald E. Sutton Permit Section Division of Air Pollution Control	

Scott Huelsing Pollution Control Facilities

Section D Information

All manure pits receive waste directly via gravity from the swine as it is excreted

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Concrete manure pit measuring 41 ft x 120 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top.

**Manure Pit 2**

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**Manure Pit 3**

Concrete manure pit measuring 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top.

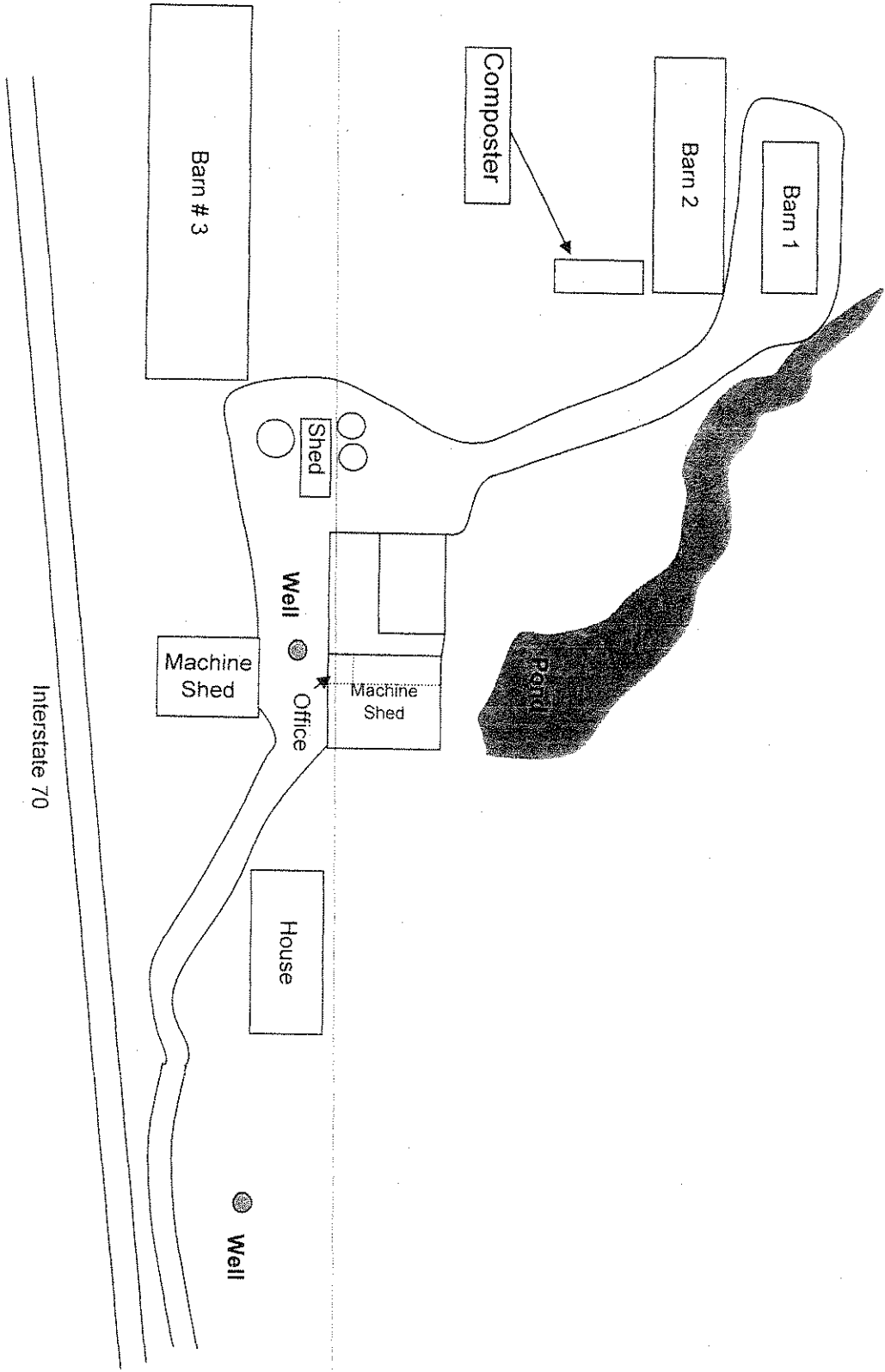
**Composter**

23 ft x 60 ft x 5.5 ft deep composter with a roof cover.

Section E-4 Information

	Date Put into Service
<b>Manure Pit 1</b>	<b>1993</b>
<b>Manure Pit 2</b>	<b>2004</b>
<b>Manure Pit 3</b>	<b>2007</b>
<b>Composter</b>	<b>2009</b>

# Scott Huelsing Existing Facilities





Illinois  
Environmental  
Protection Agency

Bureau of Water  
P.O. Box 19276  
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

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## Tax Certification Program for Livestock Waste Management Facilities

Watershed Management Section  
BUREAU OF WATER

As an incentive for livestock producers to construct waste storage structures and other structures which prevent water pollution the Agency administers a tax certification program, which reduces the property tax value for many pollution control improvements. In order to recognize this tax reduction, the producer must have the improvement certified by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) as a pollution control facility.

Various facilities have been determined to meet the definition of a pollution control facility for livestock waste management. The following are examples of pollution control facilities for livestock waste management.

1. Manure pits under confined animal feed structures.
2. Slatted floors over manure pits.
3. Floors (not in feeding areas) specifically designed to collect and transport livestock wastes to liquid waste storage facilities.
4. Liquid livestock waste storage facilities including, but not limited to: tanks, lagoons, and holding ponds.
5. Dry manure stacking structures.
6. Feedlot runoff sediment capture basins.
7. Vegetative filter systems including, but not necessarily limited to those components designed, constructed and operated pursuant to Title 35 Illinois Administrative Code, Subtitle E, Chapter 11, Part 570 titled Design and Maintenance Criteria Regarding Runoff Field Application Systems adopted August 3, 1982.
8. Structures or other devices used specifically to divert uncontaminated runoff and roof drainage away from animal feeding facilities so as to minimize the production of feedlot runoff.
9. Roof structures specifically intended to prevent precipitation from entering livestock waste storage facilities provided that such a roof shall meet the requirement that animal feeding operations are not and also could not be normally conducted below said roof.
10. Building or structure walls specifically intended to support those roof structures described in item #9 above.
11. Tanks or other similar structures, such as methane digesters, that are specifically designed, constructed and operated for the only purpose of reducing odors from livestock wastes provided that such facilities shall meet the requirement that methane or products other than processed animal manures are not produced or collected for utilization in any purpose other than the normal operation of the facility.
12. Specific appurtenances to those facilities listed above such as pumps, pump pits, manure scrapers, ramps, manure stackers, or other devices provided that such appurtenances are designed, constructed and operated for the primary purpose of the normal operation of the pollution control facility.
13. Other facilities that meet the definition of a pollution control facility.

Once Illinois EPA has certified that the improvements made by the producer qualify as a pollution control facility, the Agency submits a copy of the certification to the producer and the Illinois Department of Revenue (IDOR). The IDOR assumes authority from the county tax assessment office to assess the value of the certified facilities based upon remaining useful lifetime and the salvage value (usually property taxes are based upon fair cash value). This reduces the assessed value of the certified facilities and, therefore, the property tax.

The date upon which the Illinois EPA received an application form from a producer determines the first assessment year that the IDOR assumes assessment jurisdiction from the county.

Pollution control facilities certified by the Illinois EPA will be assessed by the IDOR as of January 1 of the year after Illinois EPA's receipt of the tax certification application. For instance, if an application is received by the Illinois EPA on January 1, 1999, or December 31, 1999, both would come under the IDOR's assessment jurisdiction as of January 1, 2000.

The producer will receive the benefit of the reduced assessment for the first year the IDOR assumes jurisdiction, but it will not be reflected in the producers tax bill until the following year. All tax bills in Illinois are actually issued the year following the assessment date. For example, a tax bill will not be issued until approximately May 2001 for all property assessed as of January 1, 2000.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

Although the tax certification application form was originally designed for industrial use, the Agency uses it for all pollution control facilities. The following instructions indicate how to complete the application form when tax certification is being sought for livestock waste management facilities.

### **Section A - Applicant:**

Be sure to provide the property tax identification number for the parcel of land where pollution control facilities are located. Also indicate the location of the pollution control facilities by quarter section, township, range and county. This information is available on county plat maps.

### **Section B - Manufacturing Operations:**

Indicate what type of livestock waste the pollution control facilities control. Most livestock facilities in Illinois do not have or need any permits from the Illinois EPA and, therefore, the permits space can usually be left blank.

### **Section C - Manufacturing Process:**

This section does not need to be completed on applications for livestock waste management facilities.

### **Section D - Pollution Control Facility:**

The following information must be provided. Use additional paper when necessary.

Neatly sketch a diagram showing the flow of livestock waste from the animals through the pollution control facilities to final disposal on cropland. Include the locations of components such as pumps, pipes, gutter scrapers, manure pits, tanks, slotted floors, holding ponds for runoff, lagoons, methane digesters, settling basins, vegetative filters, etc.

Briefly describe the major pollution control components on the flow diagram including dimensions (length, width, depth, diameter), construction materials (steel, concrete block, etc.), and size (i.e., 10 H-P centrifugal pump).

Identify local streams, lakes, groundwater, or other waters that the pollution control facilities protect from contamination by livestock wastes. Briefly explain how the pollution control facilities prevent livestock wastes from entering these waters.

### **Section E - Pollution Control Facility Contaminants and Accounting Data:**

Generally identify the pollutants being controlled (i.e., beef feedlot runoff, swine manure, silage leachate, etc.) and points of discharge if there are any. Items 3, 4 and 5 must be completed. Be sure to sign in Section F.

Completed forms may be sent to:

Illinois EPA  
BOW/Watershed Management Section/Facility Evaluation Unit  
P.O. Box 19276  
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276

TO: Keith Runge

From: Scott W Hulsey

Keith if you have any other questions  
call me on my mobil 217 821-6232

Thanks Scott W Hulsey

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*6-10 in pump-outs*

**Manure Pit 2**

Concrete manure pit measuring 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top.

*4- 6'x6' pump-outs*

**Manure Pit 3**

Concrete manure pit measuring 51 ft x 193 ft x 8 ft deep with concrete slats covering the entire top.

*4- 6'x6' pump-outs*

**Composter**

23 ft x 60 ft x 5.5 ft deep composter with a roof cover.

*all concrete walls & floors*

Section E-4 Information

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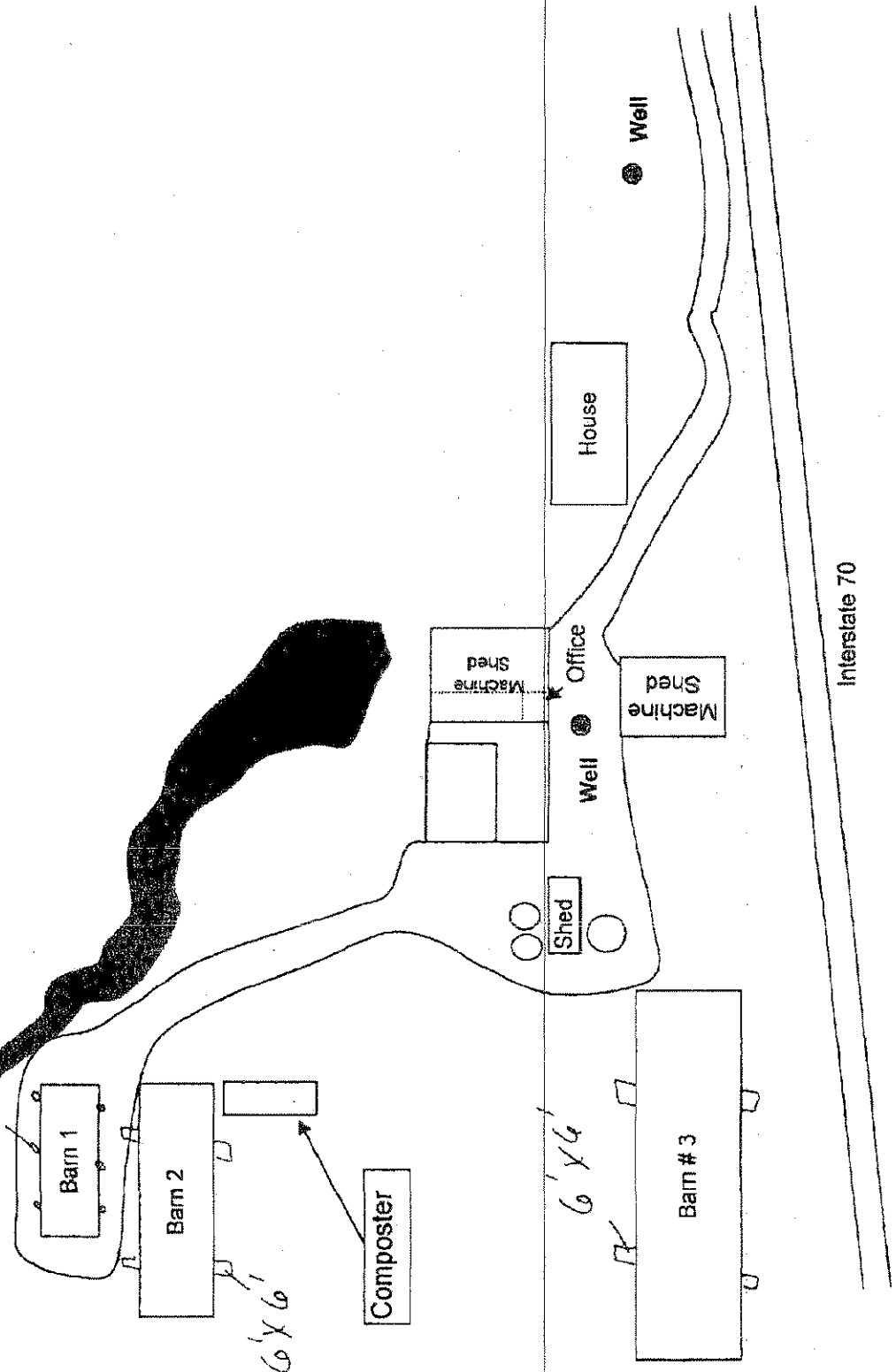
*all Building in Section 11*

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# Scott Huelsing Existing Facilities



*10 inch pvc pump out*



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STATE OF ILLINOIS

COUNTY OF SANGAMON

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned attorney at law, hereby certify that on April 22, 2011, I served true and correct copies of an **APPEARANCE AND THE RECOMMENDATION**, upon the persons and by the methods as follows:

[1<sup>st</sup> Class U.S. Mail]  
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Springfield, Illinois 62794

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