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Dear JOHN THERRIAULT ASSISTANT CLERK

Your rules Listed below met our codification standards and have been published in Volume 35, Issue 46 of the Illinois Register, dated 11/14/2011.

ADOPTED RULES

- Nitrogen Oxides Emissions
35 Ill. Adm. Code 217
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18801 R09-19
Organic Material Emission Standards and Limitations for the Chicago Area
35 Ill. Adm. Code 218
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18813 R11-23A
Organic Material Emission Standards and Limitations for the Metro East Area
35 Ill. Adm. Code 219
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18830 R11-23A
Standards and Limitations for Organic Material Emissions for Area Sources
35 Ill. Adm. Code 223
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18846 R09-19
Air Quality Standards
35 Ill. Adm. Code 243
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18857 R09-19
Solid Waste
35 Ill. Adm. Code 807
Point of Contact: Nancy Miller
18867 R10-9(A)
Standards for New Solid Waste Landfills
35 Ill. Adm. Code 811
18882 R10-9(A)



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PROPOSED RULES

Proceedings Pursuant to Specific Rules or Statutory Provisions

35 Ill. Adm. Code 106

Point of Contact: Nancy Miller

18492

R12-11

Groundwater Quality

35 Ill. Adm. Code 620

Point of Contact: Nancy Miller

18502

R08-18

If you have any questions, you may contact the Administrative Code Division at
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1) Heading of the Part: Proceedings Pursuant to Specific Rules or Statutory Provisions

2) Code Citation: 35 Ill. Adm. Code 106

<u>Section Numbers:</u>	<u>Proposed Action:</u>
106.100	New
106.900	New
106.902	New
106.904	New
106.906	New
106.908	New
106.910	New

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4) Statutory Authority: Implementing and authorized by Section 21(q), 26, and 28.1 of the Environmental Protection Act [415 ILCS 5/21(q), 26, and 28.1].

5) A Complete Description of the Subjects and Issues Involved: A more-detailed description of this rulemaking is contained in the Board's first notice opinion and order in Procedural Rules for Authorizations Under P. A. 97-220 for Certain Landscape Waste and Compost Applications and On-Farm Composting Facilities: New 35 Ill. Adm. Code 106.Subpart I, R 12-11 (Oct. 20, 2011). In the Matter of: Procedural Rules for Authorizations Under P. A. 97-220 for Certain Landscape Waste and Compost Applications and On-Farm Composting Facilities: New 35 Ill. Adm. Code 106.Subpart I. This docket is being opened to establish adjusted standards procedural rules concerning authorizations under Section 21(q) of the Environmental Protection Act, 415 ILCS 5/21(q). The text of that section was amended by P.A. 97-220, signed and effective July 28, 2011.

The recent amendment allows the Board, rather than the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, to grant authorizations under two provisions of Section 21 (q). The first type of Board authorization is under Section 21(q)(2), and is limited to farm owners or operators of a composting facility on which the landscape waste composting material is utilized to operate the compost facility on more than 2% of the property's total acreage. The other type of authorization, available under Section 21(q)(3), would allow any person to apply landscape waste or composted landscape waste at a rate greater than "agronomic rates" of not more than 20 tons per acre per year. Without such Board authorizations, these activities are prohibited acts under Section 21(q), and violators are subject to enforcement.

The proposed rules add a new subpart I to the Board's procedural rules for adjusted

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standards at 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 106. These procedural rules are similar to those in other subparts in Part 106. As the Board is not required to hold hearings to amend procedural rules, the Board does not intend to do so absent a request within the 45-day first notice period following this publication.

- 6) Published studies or reports and sources of underlying data, used to compose this rulemaking: None.
- 7) Will these proposed amendments replace an emergency rule currently in effect? No.
- 8) Do these amendments contain an automatic repeal date? No.
- 9) Do these proposed amendments contain incorporations by reference? No.
- 10) Are there any other proposed amendments pending on this Part? No.
- 11) Statement of Statewide Policy Objectives: These proposed amendments do not create or enlarge a state mandate as defined in Section 3(b) of the State Mandates Act. [30 ILCS 805/3].
- 12) Time, Place, and Manner in which interested persons may comment on this proposed rulemaking: The Board will accept written public comments on this proposal for a period of 45 days after the date of publication in the *Illinois Register*. Comments should refer to docket R12-11 and be addressed to:

Clerk's Office
Illinois Pollution Control Board
100 W. Randolph St., Suite 11-500
Chicago, IL 60601

Interested persons may request copies of the Board's opinion and order in R12-11 by calling the Clerk's office at 312-814-3620, or may download copies from the Board's Web site at www.ipcb.state.il.us. For more information, contact hearing officer Kathleen Crowley at 312/814-6929 or e-mail crowleyk@ipcb.state.il.us.

- 13) Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis:
 - A) Types of small businesses, small municipalities and not for profit corporations affected: Any small business, small municipalities, or not-for-profit corporations that own or operate a qualifying source could be affected by the proposed

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amendments.

- B) Reporting, bookkeeping or other procedures required for compliance: Owner or operators of qualifying sources will have the same or fewer requirements for reporting, bookkeeping, or recordkeeping.
 - C) Types of Professional skills necessary for compliance: It is not anticipated that any additional skills will be necessary for compliance, as the goal of small source registration is to reduce the administrative requirements for owners or operators of qualifying units, while maintaining environmental effectiveness of substantive emissions requirements for these sources.
- 14) Regulatory Agenda in which these amendments were summarized: These amendments were not summarized in any regulatory agenda, as the legislative amendment requiring the rulemaking, P.A. 97-220 was not signed and effective until July 28, 2011.

The full text of the Proposed Amendments begins on the next page:

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SUBTITLE A: GENERAL PROVISIONS
CHAPTER I: POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

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THAN OR EQUAL TO 10 MICRONS (PM-10)

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106.706	Who May Initiate, Parties
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<u>Section</u>	
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<u>106.906</u>	<u>Response and Reply</u>

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106.908 Hearing
106.910 Burden of Proof

106.APPENDIX A Comparison of Former and Current Rules (Repealed)

AUTHORITY: Implementing and authorized by Sections 5, 14.2(c), 21(q), 22.4, 26, 27, 28, 28.1, 28.1, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39.5 and 52.3 of the Environmental Protection Act (the Act) [415 ILCS 5/5, 14.2(c), 22.4, 26, 27, 28, 28.1, 28.1, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39.5 and 52.3], and Section 92.5 of the Regulation of Phosphorus in Detergents Act [415 ILCS 92.5].

SOURCE: Filed with Secretary of State January 1, 1978; amended at 4 Ill. Reg. 2, p. 186, effective December 27, 1979; codified at 6 Ill. Reg. 8357; amended in R85-22 at 10 Ill. Reg. 992, effective February 2, 1986; amended in R86-46 at 11 Ill. Reg. 13457, effective August 4, 1987; amended in R82-1 at 12 Ill. Reg. 12484, effective July 13, 1988; amended in R88-10 at 12 Ill. Reg. 12817, effective July 21, 1988; amended in R88-5(A) at 13 Ill. Reg. 12094, effective July 10, 1989; amended in R88-5(B) at 14 Ill. Reg. 9442, effective June 5, 1990; amended in R93-24 at 18 Ill. Reg. 4230, effective March 8, 1994; amended in R93-30 at 18 Ill. Reg. 11579, effective July 11, 1994; amended in R99-9 at 23 Ill. Reg. 2697, effective February 16, 1999; old Part repealed, new Part adopted in R00-20 at 25 Ill. Reg. 550, effective January 1, 2001; amended in R04-24 at 29 Ill. Reg. 8817, effective June 8, 2005, amended in R10-19 at 34 Ill. Reg. 11486, effective July 23, 2010; amended in R12-11 at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.

SUBPART A: GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 106.100 Applicability

- a) This Part applies to adjudicatory proceedings pursuant to specific rules or statutory provisions. Specifically, the Part applies to heated effluent, artificial cooling lake and sulfur dioxide demonstrations, water well setback exception procedures, revocation and reopening of CAAPP permits, maximum achievable control technology determinations, culpability determinations for particulate matter less than or equal to 10 microns, ~~and~~ the involuntary termination of environmental management system agreements, ~~and~~ authorization of use of cleaning agents under the Regulation of Phosphorus in Detergents Act [415 ILCS 92.5], and authorizations for certain landscape waste and compost applications and on-farm composting facilities.
- b) This Part must be read in conjunction with 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101 which contains procedures generally applicable to all of the Board's adjudicatory proceedings. In

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the event of a conflict between the requirements of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101 and those of this Part, the provisions of this Part apply.

(Source: Amended at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

SUBPART I: AUTHORIZATIONS FOR CERTAIN LANDSCAPE WASTE AND COMPOST APPLICATIONS AND ON-FARM COMPOSTING FACILITIES

Section 106.900 General

- a) Applicability. This Subpart applies to any person who files a petition for Board authorization concerning an individual site to:
 - i) apply landscape waste or composted landscape waste at a rate greater than the agronomic rates of 20 tons per acre per year pursuant to Section 21(q)(2) of the Act; or
 - ii) operate an on-farm composting facility constituting more than 2% of the property's total acreage pursuant to Section 21(q)(3) of the Act.
- b) Demonstration. Any person who files a petition for Board authorization under this Subpart must demonstrate *that the site's soil characteristics or crop needs require a higher rate.* 415 ILCS 21(q).
- c) Parties. The person filing the petition for authorization must be named the petitioner and the Agency must be named the respondent.
- d) Filing and service. The filing and service requirements of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.Subpart C will apply to the proceedings of this Subpart.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

Section 106.902 Initiation of Proceeding

The petitioner must file the petition for authorization with the Clerk of the Board and must serve one copy upon the Agency.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

Section 106.904 Petition Content Requirements

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The petition must contain the following information:

- a) A written statement, signed by the petitioner or an authorized representative, concerning the property for which authorization is sought, outlining a description of the specific percentage of the property or the specific application rate sought, the duration of, the reasons for, and the basis for the authorization sought, consistent with the burden of proof stated in Section 106.910 of this Part;
- b) The nature of the petitioner's operations;
- c) Any other applicable information which may be required by Section 21 (q) of the Act, including but not limited to a map of the location where land application or composting would take place, a description of the uses of the surrounding areas, the method for nutrient calculations, the number of soil samples, the intended crop or planting, a description of any additives to the landscape waste, the method and timeframe for incorporating the landscape waste or compost into the soil, the method of minimizing stormwater/snowmelt runoff, the measures for removal of noncompostable wastes from the incoming loads, and the method of preventing nuisance conditions such as vectors, odors, litter.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

Section 106.906 Response and Reply

- a) Within 21 days after the filing of a petition, the Agency may file a response to any petition in which it has not joined as co-petitioner. The response must include the comments concerning potential Board action on the petition.
- b) The petitioner may file a reply within 14 days after the service of any Agency response.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

Section 106.908 Hearing

The Board will hold a public hearing in an authorization proceeding only if a hearing is requested by the petitioner, the Agency, or any other person within 14 days after the filing of any reply under Section 106.806(b) . The hearing officer will schedule the hearing. The Clerk will

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give notice of hearing in accordance with 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101. The proceedings will be in accordance with 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.Subpart F.

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)

Section 106.910 Burden of Proof

The burden of proof for is on the petitioner. A petitioner may seek authorization, for an individual site, to:

- a) Apply landscape waste or composted landscape waste at rates greater than “agronomic rates” of not more than 20 tons per acre per year. 415 ILCS 21(q). An owner or operator seeking to apply landscape waste or composted landscape waste in accordance with Section 21(q)(2) of the Act at rates greater than agronomic rates must demonstrate to the Board that the site’s soil characteristics or crop needs require a higher rate as specified in the petition. 415 ILCS 21(q)(2).

- b) Increase in total acreage of on-farm composting facility. A farm owner or operator seeking to apply landscape waste or landscape waste compost in accordance with Section 21(q)(3)(A) of the Act at a composting facility on which the composting materials is utilized and who proposes to do so on more than 2% of the property’s total acreage on which the composting material is utilized by the farmer, must demonstrate to the Board that the site’s soil characteristics or crop needs require a higher rate as specified in the petition. 415 ILCS 21(q)(3)(A).

(Source: Added at 36 Ill. Reg. _____, effective _____.)