

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
August 15, 1972

CITY OF HIGHWOOD)
)
) #72-334
 v.)
)
 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY)

ORDER

The City of Highwood has petitioned for variance of SWB-7 and the Rules and Regulations of the Board relating to water pollution with respect to the waste water discharge from the City's water filtration plant. SWB-7 requires that this facility be in compliance by July 1, 1972.

No allegations appear in the petition justifying the delay in compliance. We have held in previous cases that such a showing is a necessary element to the granting of a variance. See Decatur Sanitary District v. Environmental Protection Agency, #71-37. Rather than dismiss the petition, we will grant the City twenty days from the date of this Order to submit a statement of such facts which it believes serve as justification for the City's failure to meet the requisite deadline.

We do so in order that when the record is received by the Board, it will not be deficient in this respect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the above Order was adopted on the 15th Day of August, 1972, by a vote of 5 to 0.

Christan S. Moffett