

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

September 1, 2017

ILLINOIS PETROLEUM COUNCIL,)	
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Petitioner,)	
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v.)	
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ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION)	
AGENCY,)	(Provisional
)	Variance - Air)
Respondent)	

Re: Request for Provisional Variance

On September 1, 2017, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (“Illinois EPA”) received from Illinois Petroleum Council (“IPC”), on behalf of affected emission sources, a request for provisional variance from applicable requirements of 35 Ill. Adm. Code Parts 215, 218 and 219 Subpart Y. The Illinois EPA accepted this request for review pursuant to the requirements of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (“Act”).

The Illinois EPA evaluated the request under the requirements of Sections 35, 36, and 37 of the Act. The Illinois EPA is granting the request for provisional variance as an arbitrary and unreasonable hardship may result in the event of a denial. More specifically, in light of catastrophic events that have occurred as a result of Hurricane Harvey, the requested regulatory relief is intended to aid gasoline supply.

Relief is granted for a period ending no later than September 22, 2017.

A facility accepting this provisional variance must, within 45 days from the date of this document, submit to the Illinois EPA a certification signed by the facility’s owner or operator accepting regulatory relief granted by this provisional variance as follows:

Certification

I(We), _____, have read the Illinois EPA’s provisional variance, dated September 1, 2017, and I(we) are a facility subject to the requirements of 35 Ill. Adm. Code Parts 215, 218, or 219, Subpart Y. I(We) hereby accept and agree to be bound by all terms and conditions of the provisional variance.

This certification shall be delivered by hand or certified mail to John J. Kim, Chief Legal Counsel, Illinois EPA, 1021 North Grand Avenue East, P.O. Box 19276, Springfield, IL 62794-9276.



John J. Kim
Chief Legal Counsel

Cc: IPCB, Clerk