

Illinois Pollution Control Board Adopts Livestock Waste Regulation Amendments

The Illinois Pollution Control Board on November 1, 2001, adopted amendments to its livestock waste regulations (In the Matter of: Livestock Waste Regulations, 35 Ill. Adm. Code 506, Construction Standards). The amendments, which become effective on November 15, 2001, establish new and enhanced design and construction standards for livestock waste handling facilities. Additionally, the amendments repeal administrative portions of the Board's regulations that are now covered under Department of Agriculture regulations that went into effect January 1, 2001. These amendments were necessitated by recent amendments to the Livestock Management Facilities act.

The Board would like to thank the many parties who participated in this rulemaking, as they were integral to the process of developing a complete record for the Board to consider.

The final order, along with, written public comments, hearing transcripts, and prefiled testimony are posted on the Board's Web site and may be downloaded from the Web free of charge. Hard copies may be obtained for \$.75 per page from the Clerk's office at (312)814-3620. You may also request this information by writing to:

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