Board Adopts Final Notice of a Proposal to Control Nitrogen Oxide Emissions From Various Source Categories

On August 20, 2009, the Illinois Pollution Control Board sent to final notice a proposal to amend Parts 211 and 217 of the Board's air pollution regulations. The proposal, filed by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) on May 9, 2008, is docketed as <u>Nitrogen Oxides Emissions from Various Source Categories</u>: Amendments to 35 Ill. <u>Adm. Code Parts 211 and 217</u> (R08-19). On both January 30, 2009 and March 23, 2009, the IEPA filed motions to amend the proposal based on negotiations with interested parties.

Generally, the adopted rules control nitrogen oxides (NO_x) emissions from major stationary sources in nonattainment areas, and from emission units including industrial boilers, process heaters, glass melting furnaces, cement kilns, lime kilns, furnaces used in steelmaking and aluminum melting, and fossil fuel-fired stationary boilers at such sources.

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