

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF: )  
NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY ) R18-15  
STANDARDS, USEPA AMENDMENTS )  
(July 1, 2017 through )  
December 31, 2017) )

REPORT OF PROCEEDINGS taken at the public hearing of the above-entitled cause, held on April 12th, 2018, at the hour of 1:30 P.M., reported by GLORIA APOSTOLOS SIOLIDIS, CSR License No. 084-001205.

PRESENT:

MR. MICHAEL MC CAMBRIDGE, Hearing Officer.  
MS. CARRIE ZALEWSKI, Board Member.  
MS. ANNET GODIKSEN, Legal Counsel.  
MR. ANDREW RUSSO, Air Quality Planning.  
MR. JOSH HOUSER, Hepler Broom.  
MS. KATY KHAYYAT, Illinois Department of Commerce.  
MS. JACKIE SIMS, Bureau of Air Quality Control.

1 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: It's now 1:34.

2 This hearing was scheduled for 1:30.

3 This hearing is in Board Rulemaking  
4 R18-15 in the matter of National Ambient Air Quality  
5 Standards USEPA Amendments July 1st, 2017 through  
6 December 31ST, 2017.

7 During that period, USEPA designated new  
8 federal reference methods for particulates in carbon  
9 monoxide on September 25th and October 2nd of 2017.  
10 Then on December 15th of 2017 USEPA updated the list of  
11 designated methods to include these as well.

12 My name is Mike McCambridge. I'm the  
13 Hearing Officer. With me in attendance is Board Member  
14 Carrie Zalewski. And Mark Powell is with me in the  
15 room.

16 Could people in Springfield identify,  
17 please?

18 MS. GODIKSEN: Sure. Annet Godiksen, legal  
19 counsel for Illinois EPA.

20 MR. RUSSO: Andrew Russo, Regulatory Unit, Air  
21 Quality Planning.

22 MR. HOUSER: Josh Houser, Hepler Broom.

23 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Thank you.

24 And that's all the people?

1 MS. GODIKSEN: No, we've got a couple of people  
2 off camera.

3 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Okay.

4 MS. KHAYYAT: Katy Khayyat. I'm with the Illinois  
5 Department of Commerce.

6 MS. SIMS: And Jackie Sims, with the Bureau of Air  
7 Quality Control.

8 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Okay.

9 The Board adopted proposal for public  
10 comment in this on February 8th, 2018. A Notice of  
11 Proposed Amendment appeared in the Illinois Register on  
12 February 23rd. That means that the public comment  
13 period officially ended on 4/9; but of course, if there  
14 are any comments come out of this hearing within a  
15 reasonable time, they will be received.

16 I do not believe that this will be before  
17 the Board for final adoption until May. May meetings  
18 appear right now to be May 10th and May 24th.

19 That's pretty much all I have to say on  
20 the matter.

21 Does anyone from the agency have any  
22 comment or question or remark or anything?

23 MR. HOUSER: No.

24 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Anyone else in

1 Springfield?

2 MR. RUSSO: No.

3 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Miss Zalewski?

4 MS. ZALEWSKI: Nothing.

5 HEARING OFFICER MC CAMBRIDGE: Okay.

6 As I said, I believe May 10th or May 24th  
7 this will go for adoption. And that will be well  
8 within the one year time that the Board has to act on  
9 it.

10 And I know that there's more coming up in  
11 the future with area designations and that, but we'll  
12 all have to wait and see what that is when it comes  
13 out.

14 If nobody has anything else, I guess we'll  
15 adjourn the hearing.

16 Thank you.

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18 (Which were all the proceedings  
19 taken at the public hearing  
20 of the above-entitled cause.)  
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1 STATE OF ILLINOIS )  
 ) SS.  
2 COUNTY OF DU PAGE )  
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4 I, GLORIA APOSTOLOS SIOLIDIS, C.S.R., duly  
5 qualified and commissioned for the State of Illinois,  
6 County of DuPage, do hereby certify that I reported in  
7 shorthand the proceedings had and testimony taken at  
8 the public hearing of the above-entitled cause, and  
9 that the foregoing transcript is a true, correct, and  
10 complete report of the entire testimony so taken at the  
11 time and place hereinabove set forth.

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