

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
October 25, 1990

PEOPLE OF THE STATE )  
OF ILLINOIS, )  
 )  
Complainant, )  
 )  
v. ) PCB 90-19  
 ) (Enforcement)  
 )  
DUPAGE PLATING COMPANY, )  
an Illinois corporation, )  
 )  
Respondent. )

PAMELA M. CIARROCCHI APPEARED FOR THE COMPLAINANT.

GEORGE BRAVOS APPEARED FOR THE RESPONDENT.

OPINION AND ORDER OF THE BOARD (by R. C. Flemal):

This matter comes before the Board upon a complaint filed January 25, 1990, on behalf of the People of the State of Illinois ("People"), by and through its attorney, Neil F. Hartigan, Attorney General of the State of Illinois, against DuPage Plating Company, ("Plating Company") located in Addison, DuPage County, Illinois. The complaint alleges that Plating Company has violated Section 9(b) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act ("Act"), Ill. Rev. Stat. 1989, ch. 111 $\frac{1}{2}$ , pars. 1001, et. seq., and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 201.144 of the Board's rules and regulations.

Hearing on this matter was held April 23, 1990, in Elmhurst, DuPage County, Illinois. At hearing, the parties submitted a Stipulation and Settlement Agreement, executed by the parties. The Stipulation sets forth facts pertaining to the nature, operations, and circumstances surrounding the claimed violations. Plating Company admits to past violations of Section 9(b) of the Act and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 201.144 and agrees to pay a civil penalty of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500). Plating Company further agrees to cease and desist from the alleged violations.

The Board finds the Settlement Agreement acceptable under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 103.180. This Settlement Agreement in no way affects respondent's responsibility to comply with any federal, state or local regulations, including but not limited to the Act and the Board's pollution control regulations.

This Opinion constitutes the Board's findings of fact and

conclusions of law in this matter.

ORDER

- 1.) The Board hereby accepts the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement executed by the People of the State of Illinois and DuPage Plating Company, concerning Plating Company's operations located in Addison, DuPage County, Illinois. The Stipulation and Settlement Agreement are incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein.
- 2.) Plating Company shall pay the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) within 30 days of the date of this Order. Such payment shall be made by certified check or money order payable to the Treasurer of the State of Illinois, designated to the Environmental Protection Trust Fund, and shall be sent by First Class mail to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency  
Fiscal Services Division  
2200 Churchill Road  
P.O. Box 19276  
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

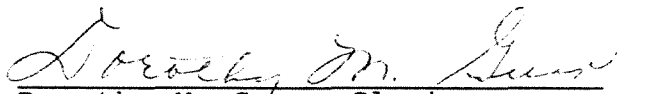
Plating Company shall also write its Federal Employer Identification Number or Social Security Number on the certified check or money order.

Section 41 of the Environmental Protection Act, Ill. Rev. Stat. 1989, ch. 111 $\frac{1}{2}$ , par. 1041, provides for appeal of final Orders of the Board within 35 days. The Rules of the Supreme Court of Illinois establish filing requirements.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Board Members J. Dumelle and J. Theodore Meyer dissented.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above Opinion and Order was adopted on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1990, by a vote of 5-2.

  
Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board