

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

February 1, 1996

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,)	
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Complainant,)	
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v.)	PCB 96-147
)	(Enforcement - Water and Mine)
ILLINOIS CEMENT COMPANY, a joint)	
venture,)	
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Respondent.)	

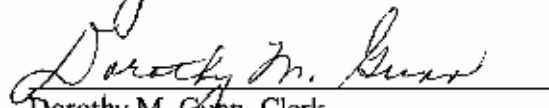
ORDER OF THE BOARD:

This matter comes before the Board upon a two-count complaint filed December 29, 1995 by the Attorney General of the State of Illinois, on behalf of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and the People of the State of Illinois, against Illinois Cement Company (Illinois Cement), a joint venture, located at P. O. Box 442, Rockwell Road, LaSalle, LaSalle County, Illinois. The complaint alleges that Illinois Cement has violated Sections 12(a) and 12(f) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act), (415 ILCS 5/12(a), 5/12(f)) and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 403.102 and 403.104 by discharging contaminants without an NPDES permit and the construction of a mine related facility without the proper permits.

Pursuant to 415 ILCS 5/31(a)(2), the parties filed a joint motion requesting relief from the Act's hearing requirement on December 29, 1995. The Board published a notice of the waiver on January 5, 1996. On January 25 and 26, 1996, the Board received letters of objection. Waiver of hearing is denied. A hearing officer will contact the objector and the parties to schedule a hearing date.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 1st day of February, 1996, by a vote of 7-0.


Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board