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BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board
)
PCB 04-29
(Enforcement–Land, Citizens)

NOTICE OF FILING

To: See attached service list

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I shall today file with the Office of the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board the City of Chicago's "Unopposed Motion to Hearing Officer to Extend Time For Respondents to Answer," a copy of which is herewith served upon you.

Dated: November 6, 2003

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The CITY OF CHICAGO,)	STATE OF ILLINOIS
an Illinois municipal corporation,)	Pollution Control Board
Complainant,)	
v.)	PCB 04-29
PUREX INDUSTRIES, INC., a Delaware corporation,)	(Enforcement-Land, Citizens)
FEDERAL CHICAGO CORP., an Illinois corporation, and)	
FEDERAL DIE CASTING CO., an Illinois corporation,)	
RAYMOND E. CROSS, an individual,)	
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UNOPPOSED MOTION TO HEARING OFFICER TO EXTEND TIME FOR RESPONDENTS TO ANSWER

Respondents.

Petitioner, the City of Chicago ("City"), by its attorney, Mara S. Georges, Corporation Counsel, by this motion requests that the hearing officer extend the time for the respondents in this action to answer the City's complaint, pursuant to 35 III. Adm. Code 101.522. In support of its motion the City states:

- 1. The respondents in this case were served with the complaint on September 8, 2003. Accordingly, under 35 Ill. Adm. Code 103.204(d), the time within which they may file answers to the complaint ends on November 7, 2003.
- 2. The parties to this case and 2222 Elston LLC v. Purex Industries, Inc., et al., PCB 03-55, are in negotiation toward a global settlement of both cases, and hope to reach an agreement in the near future.
 - 3. If the cases are settled, any response to the City's complaint by the respondents

will be moot. It would thus be a needless expenditure of resources by the respondents to prepare responses to the City's complaint. The City believes that at present the respondents' resources are better directed towards concluding a settlement.

- 4. To foster settlement of these cases, the City requests that the hearing officer enter an order pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.522 extending the time within which the respondents may respond to the City's complaint to and including December 5, 2003.
 - 5. No other party to this case opposes the requested relief.

WHEREFORE, the City requests that the hearing officer enter an order extending the time within which the respondents may respond to the City's complaint to and including December 5, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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