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# BEFORE THE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

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ILLINOIS STATE TOLL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY (Belvidere North CACR),	)	STATE OF ILLINOIS Pollution Control Board
Petitioner, v.	)	PCB No. 04- 10
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,	)	(UST Appeal – Ninety Day Extension)
Respondent.	)	

### **NOTICE**

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601 Kenneth W. Funk Deutsch, Levy & Engel 225 West Washington Street Suite 1700 Chicago, IL 60606

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have today filed with the office of the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board a REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD, copies of which are herewith served upon you.

Respectfully submitted,

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, Respondent

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# REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD

NOW COMES the Respondent, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("Illinois EPA"), by one of its attorneys, John J. Kim, Assistant Counsel and Special Assistant Attorney General, and, pursuant to Section 40(a)(1) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/40(a)(1)) and 35 Ill. Adm. Code 105.208, hereby requests that the Illinois Pollution Control Board ("Board") grant an extension of the thirty-five (35) day period for petitioning for a hearing to October 16, 2003, or any other date not more than a total of one hundred twenty-five (125) days from the date of the Illinois EPA's final decision. In support thereof, the Illinois EPA respectfully states as follows:

- 1. On June 13, 2003, the Illinois EPA issued a final decision to the Petitioner. (Exhibit A)
- 2. On July 10, 2003, the Petitioner made a written request to the Illinois EPA for an extension of time by which to file a petition for review, asking the Illinois EPA join in requesting that the Board extend the thirty-five day period for filing a petition to ninety days. The Petitioner did not represent when that the final decision was received. (Exhibit B)

3. The additional time requested by the parties may eliminate the need for a hearing in this matter or, in the alternative, allow the parties to identify issues and limit the scope of any hearing that may be necessary to resolve this matter.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated above, the parties request that the Board, in the interest of administrative and judicial economy, grant this request for a ninety-day extension of the thirty-five day period for petitioning for a hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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Re:

LPC 0070057092 -- Boone County

Belvidere/Illinois State Toll Highway Authority

Belvidere Oasis (North Side)

LUST Incident No. 890112, 892215, 941815 and 20021277

LUST Technical File

Dear Mr. Wagner:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has reviewed the High Priority Corrective Action Completion Report (report) for the above-referenced incident. The report was dated April 8, 2003 and was received by the Illinois EPA on April 14, 2003. Citations in this letter are from the Environmental Protection Act (Act) and 35 Illinois Administrative Code (35 Ill. Adm. Code).

Pursuant to 57.7(c)(4)(D) of the Act and 35 III. Adm. Code 732.409(c) and 732.503(b), the report is rejected for the reasons listed in Attachment A.

An underground storage tank system owner or operator may appeal this decision to the Illinois Pollution Control Board. Appeal rights are attached.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please contact Donna Wallace at 217/524-1283.

Sincerels,

Thomas A. Henning

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Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section

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Attachment:

Attachment A

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#### Attachment A

Re: LPC # 0070057092 -- Boone County
Belvidere/Illinois State Toll Highway Authority
Belvidere Oasis (North Side)
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LUST TECHNICAL FILE

Citations in this attachment are from the Environmental Protection Act (Act) and 35 Illinois Administrative Code (35 Ill. Adm. Code).

- A. The owner/operator summary form was not completed. A tax parcel ID number must be provided as well as a legal description of the property.
- B. Industrial/Commercial Soil Ingestion levels were exceeded at NW-1, TFW-2, TFM-2 and TFE-1 for Benzo(a)anthracene and Benzo(a)pyrene and must be addressed either by further remediation or a proposed barrier.
- C. Naphthalene was exceeded at TFE-1 for Inhalation levels for Construction Workers and must be addressed by further remediation or a Worker Caution control.
  The location of sample TFE-1 was not provided on your maps, please show the location of this sample on future maps.
- D. If a barrier is to be proposed, the Agency requires a map to scale giving the dimensions of the barrier to be maintained. Also photos must be provided showing the barrier is in place.
- E. A Professional Engineer Certification was not included with your Corrective Action Completion Report.

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#### Appeal Rights

An underground storage tank owner or operator may appeal this final decision to the Illinois Pollution Control Board pursuant to Sections 40 and 57.7(c)(4)(D) of the Act by filing a petition for a hearing within 35 days after the date of issuance of the final decision. However, the 35-day period may be extended for a period of time not to exceed 90 days by written notice from the owner or operator and the Illinois EPA within the initial 35-day appeal period. If the owner or operator wishes to receive a 90-day extension, a written request that includes a statement of the date the final decision was received, along with a copy of this decision, must be sent to the Illinois EPA as soon as possible.

For information regarding the filing of an appeal, please contact:

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For information regarding the filing of an extension, please contact:

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July 10, 2003

VIA FACSIMILE 217-782-9807 AND REGULAR MAIL

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Division of Legal Counsel 1021 North Grand Avenue East P.O. Box 19276 Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276 Attention: John Kim, Esq.

Re:

LPC #0070057092 - Boone County; Belvidere/Belvidere Oases (North Side) LUST Incident Nos. 890112, 892215, 941815 and 20021277

Dear Mr. Kim:

The undersigned, as a Special Assistant Attorney General, represents the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority in connection with the referenced LUST Incidents. I have received a copy of the Agency's letter, dated June 13, 2003, rejecting the Authority's High Priority Corrective Action Completion Report previously submitted to the Agency. A copy of that letter is enclosed.

Please be advised that the Authority does not agree with the Agency's position as set forth in its letter of June 13, 2003; however, in hopes of resolving the open issues with the Agency, and avoiding the necessity of an appeal to the Illinois Pollution Control Board, our client hereby requests an extension, pursuant to Sections 40 and 57.8 of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, to extend the period within which it may appeal the Agency's decision for an additional ninety (90) days.

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It is our understanding that upon receipt of this letter you will proceed to prepare the necessary motion for filing with Illinois Pollution Control Board to effectuate the extension. If your understanding is other than as indicated herein or if I can provide any further information, please let us know immediately.

Your assistance and cooperation is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Kenneth W. Fun

KWF/alj Enclosures

cc: Victor Azar, Esq. Ms. Mary Kruk

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned attorney at law, hereby certify that on July 18, 2003, I served true and correct copies of a REQUEST FOR NINETY DAY EXTENSION OF APPEAL PERIOD, by placing true and correct copies in properly sealed and addressed envelopes and by depositing said sealed envelopes in a U.S. mail drop box located within Springfield, Illinois, with sufficient First Class postage affixed thereto, upon the following named persons:

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