

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
January 8, 2026

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION, )  
a Delaware corporation )  
 )  
Petitioner, )  
 )  
v. )  
 )  
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL ) PCB 24-77  
PROTECTION AGENCY, ) (Permit Appeal – Air)  
 )  
Respondent, )  
 )  
AMERICAN BOTTOM CONSERVANCY, )  
 )  
Intervenor. )

**HEARING OFFICER ORDER**

On January 8, 2026, the parties participated in a telephone status conference with the hearing officer. The merger and acquisition of US Steel has been finalized. The parties plan to meet to discuss a global settlement agreement.

The parties are directed to provide a status update or participate in a telephone status conference with the hearing officer as follows:

Time: 10:00 a.m.  
Date: March 12, 2026

Petitioner may circulate a conference call number or may initiate the call. If the parties agree that a call is not needed, a status update may be emailed in advance of the scheduled time.

Petitioner filed an open deadline waiver.

IT IS SO ORDERED.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were e-mailed on January 8, 2026, to each of the persons on the service list below.

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