

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
May 20, 1993

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,)
)
 Complainant,)
) PCB 91-157
 v.) (Enforcement)
)
 THE GRIGOLEIT COMPANY,)
)
 Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Anderson):

On May 11, 1993, The Grigoleit Company (Grigoleit) filed a joint status report on behalf of it and the People of the State of Illinois (People) in response to the Board's March 25, 1993 order as well as a motion for leave to file the status report instanter. In its March 25, 1993 order, the Board directed the parties to file status reports with the Board by May 3, 1993.

In its status report, Grigoleit requests the Board to continue this matter and require the parties to file a status report on or before June 4, 1993. In support of its request, the Grigoleit states that it and the People have continued settlement negotiations which would, if successful, culminate in the settlement of this case as well as the following three cases: PCB 90-135, The Grigoleit Company v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency; PCB 92-23, The Grigoleit Company v. Illinois Environmental Protection Agency; and PCB 92-110, In the Matter of Trade Secret Claim by The Grigoleit Company.

Grigoleit adds that the parties met on April 29, 1993. At such time, Grigoleit provided the State with information in response to questions and issues that had been previously discussed during prior settlement negotiations. The State is reviewing the information and will shortly respond with any questions and comments.

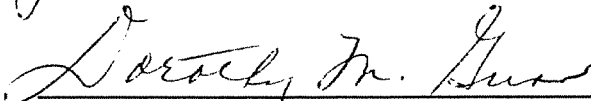
At the outset, the Board notes that Grigoleit, in its motion for leave to file the status report instanter, represents that the People have no objection to the motion. Accordingly, the Board grants Grigoleit's motion for leave to file the status report instanter.

The Board also notes that this is the parties' fifth motion to continue this matter for the purpose of settlement negotiations. In the interests of administrative economy, however, the Board accepts the status report and grants the request to continue. The Board cautions the parties, however, that it will not continue this matter indefinitely and that it expects the parties to expeditiously pursue a resolution of this

case. The parties are directed to file status reports in this matter. Such status reports are to be received by the Board no later than June 4, 1993.

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 20th day of May, 1993, by a vote of 6-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board