

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	PCB 92-84
)	(Enforcement)
BERKSHIRE FURNITURE COMPANY, INC.,)	
a Delaware Corporation,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.A. Manning):

This matter comes before the Board on Berkshire Furniture Company, Inc. and the People of the State of Illinois' Joint Status Report filed on October 15, 1993. The status report was filed pursuant to a Board order of July 14, 1993 granting a motion to continue hearing until October 15, 1993 and directing the parties to file a status report on or before October 15, 1993 in the event this case has not yet been closed.

The status report indicates that the parties have engaged in substantial settlement discussions relating to the resolution of the issues raised by the People's complaint. The report further states that the parties have discussed the latest written settlement proposal and they have come to an agreement with respect to the specific language of all but one paragraph of the proposed settlement agreement.

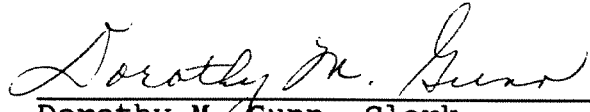
The status report specifically provides the following:

"4. It is the sense of the attorneys subscribing to this status report that a final, fully executed settlement agreement will be ready to file with the Board within two weeks from the date of entry of this status report."

Based on this representation, the Board will not order a further status report in this matter. However, the Board will, on its own motion, extend the continuance with regard to the hearing date for an additional two weeks from today's order, or until November 4, 1993. If the parties have not filed a settlement agreement by November 2, 1993 by 4:30 (see 35 Ill. Adm. Code Section 101.181), the Board will, at its November 4, 1993 Board Meeting, issue an order setting this case for hearing.

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 21st day of October, 1993, by a vote of 7-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board