

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
February 16, 1995

IN THE MATTER OF: )  
 ) R94-10  
PRETREATMENT UPDATE ) (Identical in Substance Rules-  
(7/1/93 - 12/31/93) ) Water)

PROPOSAL FOR PUBLIC COMMENT. REASON FOR DELAY.

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by E. Dunham):

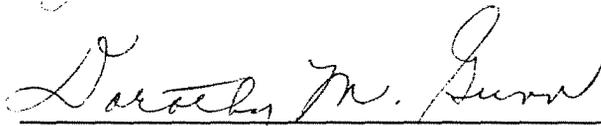
Section 13.3 of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/13.3 (1992)) requires the Board to adopt regulations which are "identical in substance" with U.S. EPA wastewater pretreatment rules adopted pursuant to Sections 307(b), 307(c), 307(d), 402(b)(8), and 402(b)(9) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (Clean Water Act), as amended. The term "identical in substance" has recently been defined in Section 7.2 of the Act. Section 7.2(b) of the Act requires the Board to adopt a rule within one year of adoption of federal rule, unless the Board extends the time based on a finding that the time is insufficient and stating the reasons. It appears that the regulations in this Docket will be late. The Board is therefore entering this order to extend the time.

The Board hereby finds that an extension of time is necessary. The presently-anticipated completion date for this proceeding is June 16, 1995. The reason for delay in adopting these regulations is staff turnover which required the reassignment of this matter to a new Board Member for coordination.

The Board today adopts a proposal for public comment in a separate opinion and order. Pursuant to Section 7.2(b) of the Act, the Board will submit a copy of the text of this order for publication in the Illinois Register as expeditiously as possible.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, do hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1995, by a vote of 7-0.

  
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Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board