

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
May 7, 1992

DOUGLAS FURNITURE OF	)	
CALIFORNIA, INC.,	)	
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Petitioner,	)	
	)	
v.	)	PCB 91-56
	)	(Permit Appeal)
	)	
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL	)	
PROTECTION AGENCY,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by M. Nardulli):

This matter comes before the Board on a joint motion for reconsideration filed on May 5, 1992. By the instant motion, the parties ask that the Board reconsider its decision of April 9, 1992 directing the hearing officer to set this matter for hearing. The order directed that hearings be completed by July 15, 1992, in order to allow the Board to meet a September 30, 1992 decision deadline.

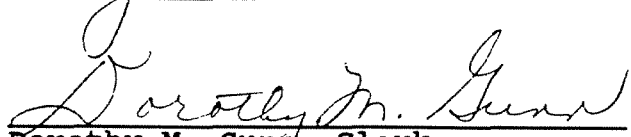
This petition was filed with the Board on March 27, 1991. The parties provided the Board with an additional waiver of the decision deadline until November 30, 1992 on May 5, 1992. The parties assert that they have been working diligently to resolve the legal and technical issues of this matter. Specifically, the parties have held several meetings and telephone conferences, and the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has made two plant visits. The parties also assert that the issues have been further complicated by the necessary involvement of many different agencies and the significant changes in applicable federal and state regulations. Finally, the parties expect that the matter will be resolved in June. For these reasons, the parties believe that it would be a waste of public and private resources to schedule, notice and prepare for hearing in this matter in accordance with the April 9, 1992 Board order.

The Board hereby grants the parties' motion to reconsider. Upon reconsideration, the Board vacates the Board's April 9, 1992 order. Additionally, the Board orders the hearing officer to set this matter for hearing by June 30, 1992, and to finish all hearings by September 3, 1992. The hearing officer is also directed to set a post-hearing briefing schedule if required.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

B. Forcade abstained.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 74 day of May, 1992, by a vote of 6-0.

  
Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board