

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
August 18, 1988

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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Complainant,)
)
v.) PCB 86-161
)
ELIZABETH STREET FOUNDRY,)
INC., an Illinois Corporation,)
)
Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (BY J.D. Dumelle):

This matter comes before the Board upon Respondent, Elizabeth Street Foundry's, August 2, 1988, filing of a Motion requesting an extension of time in which to comply with this Board's Order of March 24, 1988. Complainant objected, by motion, on August 8, 1988.

On March 24, 1988, this Board ordered Respondent to contact the Illinois Department of Commerce and Community Affairs (IDCCA) and seek other available governmental assistance for conducting a stack test at Respondent's facility. Respondent was ordered to seek assistance in financing and obtain technical advice concerning possible plant modifications and pollution control equipment.

Respondent's Motion avers an attempt to comply with the Board's Order in all respects, including a review of 20 programs available through IDCCA, a real estate appraisal and consultation with the College Of Engineering at the University Of Illinois. Respondent urges the Board to grant additional time to allow university personnel to analyze the circumstances and file a detailed report.

Complainant objects stating that Respondent never communicated or contacted the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency after the Board's March 24, 1988 Order. Complainant also attacks Respondent's supporting documentation and affidavits characterizing these as purely speculative and wholly inadequate. Complainant urges the Board to reject Respondent's Motion and enter, inter alia, a cease and desist order.

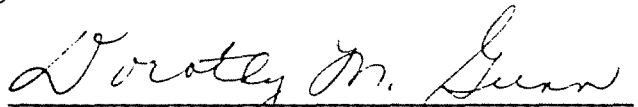
The Board does not agree that the Motion and supporting documents are speculative and inadequate. These indicate a effort to comply with the March 24, 1988 Order; matters beyond

Respondent's control should not be allowed to prejudice Respondent's case.

The Board does hereby grant Respondent's Motion; the filing deadline is extended until November 14, 1988.

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 18th day of August, 1988 by a vote of 6-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board