

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
February 18, 1999

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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EXEMPTIONS FROM THE)
DEFINITION OF VOM UPDATE,) R99-11
USEPA REGULATIONS (July 1, 1998,) (Identical-in-Substance
through December 31, 1998)) Rulemaking - Air)

Proposed Rule. Dismissal Order.

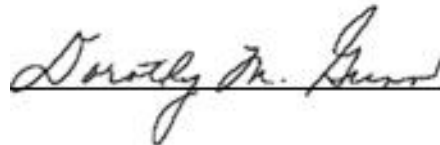
ORDER OF THE BOARD (by G.T. Girard):

Section 9.1(e) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) requires the Board to adopt regulations which are "identical in substance," as defined at Section 7.2 of the Act, to exemptions from the definition of "volatile organic material" (VOM) those compounds that the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) has found to be exempted from regulation under state implementation plans for ozone due to negligible photochemical reactivity. USEPA has codified these exemptions as part of its definition at 40 C.F.R. 51.100(s). Accordingly, the Board reserved this docket for USEPA amendments during the period from July 1, 1998, and December 31, 1998.

During the period from July 1, 1998, and December 31, 1998, USEPA did not amend its definition of VOM. Therefore, the Board hereby dismisses this docket.

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 18th day of February 1999 by a vote of 7-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board