

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
July 11, 1986

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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APPLICATION FOR LAKE MICHIGAN) PCB 86-95
PERMIT NO. 190 LM FOR)
WAUKEGAN PORT DISTRICT)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Theodore Meyer):

This matter comes before the Board upon a June 27, 1986 Illinois Department of Transportation request for approval of a permit for the Waukegan Port District's (Waukegan) project which includes the replacement of the failing dockage system in the existing Waukegan Harbor and expansion of the dockage system into part of the area currently used for moorings. The Board finds the permit application deficient and requests that Waukegan submit more information on the following matters:

1. The application states that approximately 2900 cubic yards of dredged material is to be disposed of at the "Airport disposal site." Please identify this site, specifically location and the scope of its present operations, including whether the proposed disposal is included with in the scope of the site's presently permitted operations.
2. The application also states that the excavated area will be "restored by filling with inert materials from future building foundations." What will be the composition of this material and will any contamination of Lake Michigan and Waukegan Harbor occur?
3. Finally, the application states that the supernatant will be pumped out of the scow into the [Waukegan] harbor. Will this effluent violate any water quality or effluent standards applicable to Lake Michigan? And, if so, does the plan contemplate treatment of this effluent to meet applicable state standards?
4. Will the operation of the scow require a permit issued by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency?
5. Should the Army Corps of Engineers be made a party to this proceeding?
6. Has the project contemplated in this permit application already commenced? If so, provide details.

This information must be filed with the Board within 45 days of the date of this order.

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 11th day of July, 1986 by a vote of 6-0.

Dorothy M. Gunn
Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board