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J. Philip Novak, Chairman Illinois Pollution Control Board James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601

RE: DCEO Response to Request for Economic Impact Study for: Proposed Site Specific Waste Regulation Applicable to Silbrico Corporation (35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 810) (R060-08)

Dear Chairman Novak:

Thank you for your September 15, 2005 letter requesting the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity ("Department") to conduct an economic impact study concerning Silbrico's proposal to amend the Board's solid waste disposal regulations.

The Department has reviewed the Board's request for an Economic Impact Study for Silbrico's proposal. Based on this review, and in light of continued fiscal constraints, the Department has decided not to conduct a study of the economic impact of the above referenced site-specific rulemaking proposal.

Thank you for soliciting the Department's input in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jack Lavin

Director