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# IN THE APPELLATE COURT OF ILLINOIS THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Respondents-Appellees.	<ul> <li>Supreme Court Rule which contains</li> <li>jurisdiction upon the reviewing court:</li> <li>Rule 335</li> <li>)</li> </ul>

## **NOTICE OF FILING**

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**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that on June 21, 2023, Petitioner-Appellant, Aqua Illinois, Inc., caused to be filed with the Appellate Court of Illinois, Third District, Petitioner's Unopposed Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Petition for Review.

	Respectfully submitted,
Dated: June 21, 2023	By: /s/ Daniel J. Deeb
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# PETITIONER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO VOLUNTARILY DISMISS PETITION FOR REVIEW

Pursuant to Section 2-1009 of the Illinois Code of Civil Procedure, 735 ILCS 5/2-1009, Petitioner-Appellant Aqua Illinois, Inc. ("Aqua"), by its attorneys, ArentFox Schiff LLP, moves to voluntarily dismiss its Petition for Review without prejudice.

In support of this Motion, Aqua states as follows:

- 1. On January 20, 2023, Aqua filed its Petition for Review of a Final Order of the Illinois Pollution Control Board in its Docket No. 23-12.
- 2. Aqua now desires to dismiss its Petition for Review without prejudice. On June 14, 2023, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency issued a Special Exception Permit to Aqua, granting Aqua's request for reduced lead and copper monitoring and effectively mooting the relief sought by Aqua through this Petition for Review.

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3. Section 2-1009 of the Code of Civil Procedure permits claims to be dismissed

voluntarily without prejudice "at any time before trial or hearing begins, upon notice to each party

who has appeared or each such party's attorney, and upon payment of costs." 735 ILCS 5/2-

1009(a); 735 ILCS 5/1-108 (provisions of 735 ILCS 5/2 apply to proceedings under the

Administrative Review Law).

4. No trial or hearing has begun on Aqua's Petition for Review, and Aqua is providing

proper notice of this Motion to all parties of record.

5. Pursuant to Illinois Supreme Court Rule 361(a) and Rule 102(a) of the Appellate

Court of Illinois, Third District, Aqua's counsel conferred with counsel for the Board and IEPA,

Mr. Jonathan Sheffield, who informed Aqua's counsel that this Motion is unopposed.

6. A proposed order is attached as Exhibit A.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner-Appellant Aqua Illinois, Inc. requests that this Court enter an

Order dismissing the Petition for Review without prejudice and grant such other and further

relief as may be just and proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### CERTIFICATE OF FILING AND SERVICE

The undersigned, an attorney, certifies that on June 21, 2023, the foregoing Notice of Filing and Petitioner's Unopposed Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Petition for Review were filed with the Clerk of the Court for the Illinois Appellate Court, Third Judicial District, by using the File and Serve Illinois system.

The undersigned also certifies that on June 21, 2023, true and correct copies of the Notice of Filing, Petitioner's Unopposed Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Petition for Review, and this Certificate of Service were served by email on Respondents at the e-mail addresses listed below.

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Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the undersigned certifies that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct, except as to matters therein stated to be on information and belief and as to such matters the undersigned certifies as aforesaid that she verily believes the same to be true.

#### /s/ Daniel J. Deeb

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BOARD, ILLINOIS  ENHANCEMENTAL PROTECTION	Petition for Review dated January 20,
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ) AGENCY,	2023
Respondents-Appellees. )	Supreme Court Rule which contains jurisdiction upon the reviewing court: Rule 335
)	

### **ORDER**

This matter coming to be heard on Petitioner-Appellant's Unopposed Motion to Voluntarily Dismiss Petition for Review, due notice having been given and the Court fully advised in the premises:

### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. Petitioner-Appellant Aqua Illinois, Inc.'s ("Aqua") Motion is granted;
- 2. Aqua's Petition for Review is hereby voluntarily dismissed without prejudice, pursuant to Section 2-1009 of the Illinois Code of Civil Procedure, 735 ILCS 5/2-1009.

### **ENTERED**

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