

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
December 2, 1976

NORTH SHORE SANITARY DISTRICT,)
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) Petitioner,)
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) v.) PCB 76-244
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) ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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) Respondent.)


ORDER OF THE BOARD (by Mr. Young):

The North Shore Sanitary District's Petition for Reconsideration, Reinstatement and For Leave to Amend is hereby denied. The Board still believes that the Petition, even with the supplemental information, lacks adequate information concerning the environmental impact which would occur if the variance is granted and adequate information concerning the hardship to result if the variance is denied. For the fourth time, Petitioner is directed to follow Board Procedural Rule 401. In the event that Petitioner decides to file a new Petition, all information filed heretofore, and any new information, should be consolidated in that new Petition.

To enable the Board to make any meaningful determination, the Petition must be considerably more specific. Although Petitioner estimates that the overflow is 2.5 percent of the total yearly flow, without the yearly flow also included, this figure is meaningless. The Petition should set forth the stream to which the overflow is tributary and water quality data of that stream. The Petition should inform the Board whether any basement flooding occurs as a result of the overflows. Concerning the hardship question, the Petition should inform the Board how many, if any, of the houses to be connected were constructed after the sewer ban went into effect. Information should also be provided how these houses are presently disposing of their wastes.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan L. Moffett, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify the above Order was adopted on the 2nd day of December, 1976 by a vote of 4-0.



Christan L. Moffett Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board