ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD July 19, 1973

ENVIRONMENTAL	PROTECTION	AGENCY))	#72-468
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ELIZABETH STRE	EET FOUNDRY	, INC.)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (BY SAMUEL T. LAWTON, JR.):

On April 17, 1973, we entered an Order in the above-captioned proceeding directing that prior to June 17, 1973, Respondent cease and desist its pollutional discharge and submit a program of compliance prior to said date. The order directed that the parties conduct such testing as is necessary prior to June 17, to ascertain that Respondent had complied with all relevant regulations with respect to the control of air pollution.

Subsequent thereto, Respondent filed a motion stating that the presence of a spark arrester created difficulty in testing the emissions: that testing before the spark arrester failed to take into consideration the discharges diminished by said devices and that sampling above the stack would be the testing of the ambient air to which results the testing companies would not certify. Respondent stated that it proposes to install an afterburner and requested that our order be modified to permit such installation, that the stack test be taken subsequent to the completion of the installation and that Respondent continue to operate while proceeding with the afterburner installation and tests.

We indicated in an order of June 14, 1973 that we were not unfavorably disposed to the request but that Respondent had failed to set forth a time schedule for compliance, as previously directed, and accordingly, denied the motion and directed that Respondent file its proposed schedule of installation and testing within 10 days, pursuant to which we would enter such further order as might be appropriate. Respondent has filed a petition in response to our June 14, 1973 Order, stating that Respondent had contacted various manufacturers of gas-fired afterburners to obtain estimates of delivery dates and that inquiry made of Peoples Gas, Light and Coke Company indicated that gas pressure of the amount needed for operation of the type of afterburner required, would not be available. Inquiry was next made with a view of obtaining a gas booster pump which Respondent now indicates has been made available. An afterburner has been ordered with delivery schedule of six weeks after approval of shop drawings, which will be ready on July 20, 1973. Installation and testing of the equipment is anticipated to take two weeks for completion. Stack testing would commence immediately after installation. Respondent asks that we permit the installation of the afterburner and gas booster pump and testing in accordance with the schedule provided.

If the contemplated program is implemented as Respondent represents, the equipment would be delivered by approximately August 31, 1973 and installed by September 14, 1973. Stack testing would commence immediately thereafter.

In view of the representations of the Respondent and the apparent good faith efforts to achieve compliance, we amend our April 17, 1973 order to grant Respondent until October 1, 1973 to complete its program of installation, testing and compliance pursuant to its proposed schedule and direct that all provisions of our earlier order be achieved by said date and that Respondent cease and desist all violation of the relevant Regulations and the Environmental Protection Act by October 1, 1973.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Christan Moffett, Clerk of the Pollution Control Board, certify that the above Order was adopted on the $\underline{//}$ day of July, 1973, by a vote of $\underline{4}$ to _____.

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