ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD March 20, 1997

D &L LANDFILL, INC.,)	
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Petitioner,)	
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v.)	PCB 97-153
)	(Permit Appeal - Land
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)	Ninety-Day Extension)
PROTECTION AGENCY,)	•
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by C.A. Manning):

On March 10, 1997 D & L Landfill, Inc. (petitioner) filed a notice of extension of the 35-day appeal period pursuant to Section 40 of the Environmental Protection Act, relating to a February 7, 1997 Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) determination. On March 12, 1997 the Agency filed its concurrence and a joint notice. The Agency requested the extension "to May 8, 1997, or any other date not more than a total of 90 days from the date of the Agency's final determination."

P.A. 88-690 (SB1724), effective January 24, 1995, amends Section 40(a) which governs the permit appeal process to provide:

the 35-day period for petitioning for a hearing may be extended for a period of time not to exceed 90 days by written notice provided to the Board from the applicant and the Agency within the initial appeal period.

As the Board maintains its files by docket number only, the Board will reserve docket PCB 97-153 for any appeal which may be filed by petitioner; petitioner is directed to use this docket number in any future filing concerning this appeal. In the event that petitioner fails to file an appeal on or before May 8, 1997 (the 90th day after February 7, 1997), the Board will dismiss the docket as unnecessary. A \$75 filing fee will, of course, be required at such time as petitioner files such petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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	Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board