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| TERESA L. SHEPRO, as Trustee of the Justice W. Shepro Trust, and TERESA L. SHEPRO and FRANK WIEMERSLAGE, as beneficiaries under Trust No. 898, of the Chicago Trust Company, Complainant, |) STATE OF ILLINOIS) Pollution Control Board))))) |
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| vs. |) Case No. PCB 04-12 |
| NEWBY OIL COMPANY, DAVID E. TRIPP and JANICE L. TRIPP, |))) |
| Respondents. |)) |

ANSWER TO COMPLAINT

NOW COMES, the Respondents, DAVID E. TRIPP and JANICE L. TRIPP, by their attorneys, CLIFFE, FOSTER, CORNEILLE & BUICK, and for their Answer to the Complaint of the Complainants alleges as follows:

Count I Newby

Respondents, DAVID E. TRIPP and JANICE L. TRIPP, make no answer to Count I of the Complaint as no relief is asked for in that Count against them.

Count II- Tripp

- 1. Deny.
- 2. Deny.
- 3. Deny.
- 4. Deny.
- 5. Admit.
- 6. Admit.
- 7. Deny.

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- 8. Admit.
- 9. Deny.
- 10. Deny.
- 11. Deny.
- 12. Deny.
- 13. Neither admit nor deny, but demand strict proof thereof.
- 14. Deny, including specific denials of subparagraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f).
- 15. Deny.

WHEREFORE, Respondents, DAVID E. TRIPP and JANICE L. TRIPP, pray that all ofthe relief prayed for by Complainants in Count II be denied and that they have their costs of suit.

DAVID E. TRIPP and JANICE L. TRIPP

By: CLIFFE, FOSTER, CORNEILLE & BUICK

By:

One of Their Attorneys

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| COUNTY OF DEKALB |) | |

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and states that he/she did deposit a copy of the foregoing Answer to Complaint in a United States Post Office Box in the City of DeKalb, DeKalb County, Illinois, before the hour of 6:00 p.m., with United States postage fully prepaid thereon, on the day of September, 2003, enclosed in an envelope properly and securely sealed and plainly addressed as follows:

TO: Pollution Control Board 100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 11-500 Chicago, IL 60601 Clayton L. Lindsey WILLIAMS & McCARTHY P.O. Box 339 Oregon, IL 61062

William C. Murphy Kinnally, Krentz, et al. 2114 Deerpath Road P.O. Box 5030 Aurora, IL 60507-5030

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this day of September, 2003

Notary Public

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