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ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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REVISION OF THE BOARD'S) R03-10
PROCEDURAL RULES: 35)Rulemaking-Procedural)
ILL ADM. CODE 101-130)

The following is a transcript held in
the above-entitled cause before HEARING OFFICER
RICHARD MCGILL, taken stenographically before
FRANCINE BUONAVOLANTO, CSR, a notary public
within and for the County of Cook and State of
Illinois, at 100 West Randolph Street, Chicago,
Illinois, on the 19th day of December, A.D.,
2002, scheduled to commence at 1:30 p.m.

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1 MR. MCGILL: Good afternoon. My name
2 is Richard McGill and I'm serving as Hearing
3 Officer in this Pollution Control Board
4 rule-making proceeding captioned in the matter
5 of Revision of the Board's Procedural Rules, 35
6 Illinois Administrative Code, 101 through 130.

7 The docket number for this rulemaking
8 is R03-10 and today is the second hearing. The
9 first hearing took place one week ago in
10 Springfield. Since 1:00 this afternoon, a
11 number of Board members and staff have been
12 present, including Chairman Claire Manning,
13 Board member, Thomas Johnson and Board member
14 Michael Tristano. As well as Board staff
15 including Connie Newman our public information
16 officer and Bill Wilson our Web Master. It is
17 now approximately 1:35 and no member of the
18 public is or has been present, so I will just
19 make a few procedural announcements for the
20 record.

21 As the Board stated in its November
22 7, 2002 first notice opinion and order, the
23 proposed rules will accomplish two primary
24 objectives. First, they will allow for

1 electronic filing and all Board proceedings
2 through the new clerk's office on-line, also
3 known as COOL, which is on the Board's website.

4 Second, the rules will reflect recent
5 amendments to the Environmental Protection Act
6 and the Administrative Procedure Act.

7 Today, we were prepared to proceed
8 with Chairman Manning's power point
9 presentation on COOL as was presented at the
10 Springfield hearing. That presentation has
11 been entered into the record as Exhibit No. 1
12 in this rulemaking.

13 Because no members of the public
14 appeared we will not be proceeding with that
15 presentation. Of course, with no members of
16 the public present, we are receiving no
17 questions or comments today, but, of course,
18 there will be an opportunity provided by public
19 comment through the public comment period;
20 which I'm about to talk about.

21 The first notice proposal appeared in
22 the Illinois register on December 2nd of this
23 month. The deadline for filing public comments
24 with the Board in this rulemaking is January

1 21, 2003. Public comments will be available on
2 the Board's website through COOL. Copies of
3 today's very short transcript for this hearing
4 should be available at the Board next week, the
5 week of December 23rd.

6 Shortly after that, the transcript
7 should be available through the Board's website
8 at WWW.IPCB.State.IL.US. Because there are no
9 other items to address at this time, this
10 hearing is adjourned.

11 (Whereupon, these were all the
12 proceedings had at this time.)

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5 FRANCINE BUONAVOLANTO being first
6 duly sworn, on oath says that she is a court
7 reporter doing business in the City of Chicago;
8 and that she reported in shorthand the
9 proceedings of said hearing, and that the
10 foregoing is a true and correct transcript of
11 her shorthand notes so taken as aforesaid, and
12 contains the proceedings given at said hearing.

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14 _____
15 Certified Shorthand Reporter

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17 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO
18 before me this _____ day
19 of _____, 2002.

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23 Notary Public

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