

ORDER

1. The Board hereby accepts the stipulation and settlement agreement executed by the People of the State of Illinois and the respondent, Fischer Crane Company, a Delaware corporation, located at 585 East South Frontage Road, Bolingbrook, Will County, Illinois. The stipulation and settlement agreement is incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein.
2. The respondent shall pay the sum of \$3,000 within 30 days of the date of this order. Such payment shall be made by certified check or money order payable to the Treasurer of the State of Illinois, designated to the Environmental Protection Trust Fund. The case number, case name, and respondent's federal employer identification number (36-2946249) shall also be included on the check (or money order) and should clearly indicate that payment is directed to the Environmental Protection Trust Fund.
3. The check (or money order) shall be sent by first class mail to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency
Fiscal Services Division
1021 North Grand Avenue East
P.O. Box 19276
Springfield, Illinois 62794-9276

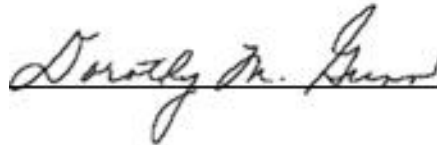
A copy of the check (or money order) shall be simultaneously sent by first class mail to:

Bradley P. Halloran
Assistant Attorney General
Environmental Bureau
Attorney General's Office
100 West Randolph Street, 11th Floor
Chicago, Illinois 60601
4. Any such penalty not paid within the time prescribed shall incur interest at the rate set forth in subsection (a) of Section 1003 of the Illinois Income Tax Act, (35 ILCS 5/1003), as now or hereafter amended, from the date payment is due until the date payment is received. Interest shall not accrue during the pendency of an appeal during which payment of the penalty has been stayed.
5. Respondent shall cease and desist from the alleged violations.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Section 41 of the Environmental Protection Act (415 ILCS 5/41 (1996)) provides for the appeal of final Board orders to the Illinois Appellate Court within 35 days of service of this order. Illinois Supreme Court Rule 335 establishes such filing requirements. See 172 Ill. 2d R. 335; see also 35 Ill. Adm. Code 101.246, Motions for Reconsideration.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above opinion and order was adopted on the 17th day of December 1998 by a vote of 6-0.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Dorothy M. Gunn", written over a horizontal line.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board