

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
December 16, 1993

IN THE MATTER OF: )  
 )  
PETITION OF REYNOLDS ) AS 91-8  
METAL COMPANY FOR ADJUSTED ) (Adjusted Standard)  
STANDARD FROM 35 ILL. ADM. )  
CODE 218.980 )

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

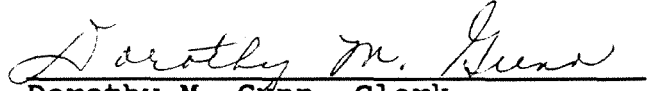
This matter is before the Board pursuant to a status report filed by Reynolds Metal Company (Reynolds) on December 13, 1993. Reynolds filed a September 4, 1991 Petition for an Adjusted Standard and the Board accepted this matter for hearing on January 23, 1992, but delayed assigning a hearing officer. This delay was necessary because the petition could result in a revision to the State Implementation Plan (SIP). Before a revision to the SIP can be accepted, the USEPA must first revise the Federal Implementation Plan (FIP). Reynolds has petitioned the USEPA for the revision of the FIP and is awaiting the decision.

On June 23, 1992, the USEPA published a notice in the Federal Register staying the effectiveness of 40 CFR 52.741(x) and (y) as they apply to Reynolds, to allow the USEPA to reconsider the applicability of these rules to Reynolds. The notice stated that USEPA is proceeding expeditiously with reconsideration. On September 22, 1993, the USEPA published a Proposed Rule in the Federal Register which proposed revisions to the FIP consisting of site specific control requirements for Reynolds' aluminum rolling operations. Comments were accepted until October 22, 1993, and according to the December 13, 1993 status report, Reynolds was the only commenter on the proposed rule, requesting a minor clarification in the language.

Based on the USEPA's stay of the effectiveness of 40 CFR 52.741(x) and (y), on February 4, 1993 the Board stayed the proceedings in this matter until May 4, 1993, and has on several occasions, extended the stay. We hereby extend the stay in this case until Thursday, March 3, 1994. Reynolds is directed to file an updated status report on or before Thursday, February 24, 1993, indicating whether the rule is finally promulgated by USEPA, whether this adjusted standard docket continues to be necessary and whether an additional status report is required. Reynolds should also request an extension of the stay if one is required.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, hereby certify that the above order was adopted on the 16th day of December, 1993, by a vote of 7-0.

  
Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board