

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
March 17, 1994

SAFETY-KLEEN CORP.,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.) PCB 92-211
) (Permit Appeal)
 ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL)
 PROTECTION AGENCY,)
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 Respondent.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J. Theodore Meyer):

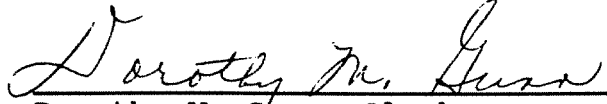
This matter is before the Board on a status report filed by petitioner Safety-Kleen Corp. (Safety-Kleen) on March 4, 1994. The status report is filed in response to the Board's February 17, 1994 order directing both parties to file status reports, or a joint status report, no later than March 9, 1994. The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) filed a status report on March 16, 1994.

Safety-Kleen states that the Agency issued a draft Part B permit in September 1993, and that Safety-Kleen had anticipated that the final Part B permit would have been issued prior to now. Safety-Kleen states that it and the Agency are working to schedule a meeting in late March, and that it is Safety-Kleen's hope that the final Part B permit will be issued within a few weeks after that meeting. Safety-Kleen concludes that given the parties' understanding in this case, it believes that the matter should be continued, with another status report to be filed in 90 days. Safety-Kleen states that it anticipates that the action will be resolved before that 90 days passes. The Agency states that it joins in Safety-Kleen's status report.

The Board is sympathetic to the parties' attempts to negotiate a resolution to this matter. However, the Board will not indefinitely delay substantive action on this case. We will, however, continue the matter for an additional 90 days, in a final effort to allow completion of the negotiations. The Board directs Safety-Kleen and the Agency to file status reports (or a joint status report, if the parties prefer) no later than June 17, 1994. We expect no further extensions.

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 17th day of March, 1994, by a vote of 6-0.



Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board