ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD July 30, 1992

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OLIN CORPORATION,

Petitioner,

v.

PCB 91-87 (Permit Appeal)

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,

Respondent.

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by G.T. Girard):

On July 15, 1992, Olin filed a status report as directed by the Board's order of June 23, 1992. Olin states that it is submitting this report alone, after unsuccessful attempts to consult with the Agency. Olin reports that the parties have continued to pursue settlement of this matter, and that they have agreed on a basis for resolving the issues involved in this appeal. On July 1, 1992, Olin submitted to IEPA a modified closure plan with respect to three units involved in this appeal. The Agency is currently reviewing the plans. Olin reports that the parties have agreed upon the elements to be included in the closure/post closure plan, but the details are subject to review and approval by IEPA. and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The parties are reasonably confident that they will agree on plan conditions which will lead to IEPA approval of the modified closure/post closure plan. Upon approval of the modified closure/Post closure plan, Olin will move for the dismissal of this appeal.

On July 23, 1992, the Agency filed a status report accompanied by a motion for leave to file instanter. The Agency states that it concurs with Olin's report, and that its failure to timely file a status report is due to vacation leave taken by counsel, and press of other business. The Agency's motion for leave to file instanter is granted.

To insure that this matter be resolved as expeditiously as practicable, the Board directs the parties to file another status report with the Board to be received by the Board no later than November 1, 1992.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board