

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD  
March 15, 2001

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, )  
)  
Complainant, )  
)  
v. ) PCB 99-79  
) (Enforcement - Air)  
GLC, INC. d/b/a MIDWEST GRINDING )  
and RECYCLING, )  
)  
Respondent. )

ORDER OF THE BOARD (by M. McFawn):

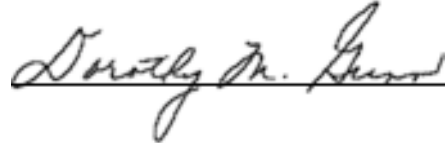
On December 16, 1998, the People of the State of Illinois (People) filed a three-count complaint against respondent GLC, Inc. d/b/a Midwest Grinding and Recycling (GLC). The complaint alleged GLC caused, threatened or allowed the emission of contaminants, operated without a permit, and failed to submit proper National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP) notifications to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. The complaint alleged that these violations occurred at five locations in Madison County. The activities were in alleged violation of Sections 9(a) and (b), and 9.1(d) of the Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/9(a) and (b), and 9.1(d) (1998)), the Board's permitting regulations at 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 201, the Board's visible and particulate emissions regulations as 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 212, and the federal NESHAP standards for demolition and renovation found at 40 C.F.R. 61.145.

On March 6, 2001, the parties filed a stipulation and proposal for settlement, accompanied by a motion requesting relief from the hearing requirement of Section 31(c)(1) of the Act (415 ILCS 5/31(c)(1) (1998)). GLC proposes to pay a \$10,000 penalty in quarterly installments. Pursuant to Section 31(c)(2) of the Act, the parties may file with the Board a stipulation and proposal for settlement accompanied by a request for relief from the hearing requirement. (415 ILCS 5/31(c)(2) (1998)). Unless the Board determines that a hearing is needed, the Board is required to publish notice of the stipulation and proposal for settlement and request for relief from the hearing requirement.

Accordingly, the Board directs the Clerk of the Board to cause publication of the required newspaper notice. Any person may file a written demand for hearing within 21 days of the published notice. If a hearing is requested, the Board will deny the parties' request for relief and schedule a hearing.

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 15th day of March 2001 by a vote of 7-0.

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

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk  
Illinois Pollution Control Board