ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD October 19, 2000

ESG WATTS, INC. (Taylor Ridge/Andalusia)	
Landfill), an Iowa corporation,)	
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Petitioner,)	
v.)	
)	PCB 01-64
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION)	(Permit Appeal - Land)
AGENCY,)	
)	
Respondent.)	
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ORDER OF THE BOARD (by E.Z. Kezelis):

On October 10, 2000, ESG Watts, Inc. (Watts) filed a petition for review of an Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Agency) determination denying Watts' request that Pollution Liability Policy FRAC0001021 be approved as the financial assurance for the Taylor Ridge/Andalusia Landfill and that the Agency release Mercantile Bank from the terms of the trust agreement embodied by Trust Account 03792561. The Board accepts this matter for hearing.

The Board's rules require that the Agency file the entire Agency record of its decision within 14 days of notice of the petition. See 35 III. Adm. Code 105.102. Hearing must be scheduled and completed in a timely manner, pursuant to the applicable statutory decision deadline, or the deadline as extended by waiver. See 35 III. Adm. Code. 101.105.

Absent any future waivers of the decision deadline, the statutory decision deadline is now February 7, 2001 (120 days from October 10, 2000); the Board meeting immediately preceding the decision deadline is scheduled for February 1, 2001.

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 19th day of October 2000 by a vote of 7-0.

Dorothy M. Gunn, Clerk

Illinois Pollution Control Board