ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD October 9, 2008

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
V.)	PCB 08-83
)	(Enforcement – Water)
RUPE CONTRACTING, INC., an Illinois)	
corporation and JOHN A. RUPE, individually)	
and as owner and operator of RUPE)	
CONTRACTING, INC.,)	
)	
Respondents.		

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On October 9, 2008, all parties participated in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer. The complainant represented that the respondent has recently provided additional financial documents and that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency is reviewing it for a possible penalty reduction. It was agreed that respondent's answer or other pleading is now due on or before December 19, 2008.

The parties or their legal representatives are directed to appear at a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer on December 1, 2008, at 11:00 a.m. The telephonic conference must be initiated by the complainant, but each party is nonetheless responsible for its own appearance. At the conference the parties must be prepared to discuss the status of the above-captioned matter and their readiness for hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Bradley P. Halloran **Hearing Officer** Illinois Pollution Control Board

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were mailed, first class, on October 9, 2008, to each of the persons on the attached service list.

It is hereby certified that a true copy of the foregoing order was hand delivered to the following on October 9, 2008:

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