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ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD April 10, 2012

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS)
Complainant,)
V.)) PCB 11-79
INVERSE INVESTMENTS, L.L.C., an Illinois limited liability company,) (Enforcement – Water)
Respondent.	

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On April 5, 2012, all parties participated in a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer. The conference call included discussion regarding the respondent's "Answers and Defenses to Complaint for Injunction and Civil Penalties", filed March 9, 2012. The complainant filed a "Motion To Strike Affirmative Defenses" on March 30, 2012. At the conference, the respondent stated that the "Defenses" were not affirmative defenses. In any event, the respondent was given until April 18, 2012, to file its response.

The respondent stated that it has requested of the complainant to renew settlement discussions.

On April 4, 2012, the parties submitted an agreed proposed discovery schedule. The proposed discovery schedule is accepted to the extent as follows. Complainant must serve all interrogatories and requests for production on or before June 6, 2012. Respondent must submit all answers to interrogatories and requests for production on or before August 6, 2012. Respondent must serve all interrogatories and requests for production on or before September 6, 2012. Complainant must submit all answers to interrogatories and requests for production on or before November 6, 2012. Complainant must serve all answers to requests for admission on or before December 6, 2012. Respondent must submit all answers to requests for admission on or before January 7, 2013. Respondent must serve all requests for admission on or before February 7, 2013. Complainant must submit all answers to requests for admission on or before March 7, 2013. Complainant must take all depositions on or before May 7, 2012. Respondent must take all depositions on or before July 8, 2013.

The parties or their legal representatives are directed to appear at a telephonic status conference with the hearing officer on June 28, 2012, at 9:30 a.m. The telephonic status 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 James R. Thompson Center, Suite 11-500 100 W. Randolph Street Chicago, Illinois 60601 312.814.8917

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

It is hereby certified that true copies of the foregoing order were mailed, first class, on April 10, 2012, to each of the persons on the service list below.

It is hereby certified that a true copy of the foregoing order was hand delivered to the following on April 10, 2012:

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