ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD April 18, 2013

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ORDER OF THE BOARD (by J.A. Burke):

On April 12, 2013, the Office of the Attorney General, on behalf of the People of the State of Illinois (People), filed a motion to extend the discovery schedule (Mot.) in the Board's March 7, 2013 order. In that order, the Board granted the People's fourth request to extend the deadline for closing the record until July 3, 2013, pursuant to two interim deadlines. The last interim deadline required the parties to produce witnesses for depositions and complete all depositions by April 17, 2013. The People now seek to extend the deposition deadline.

A hearing is currently scheduled for May 21, 2013. In their motion, the People request to take final depositions in this case on April 30 and May 1, 2013. The People state that this need for additional time "arose due to issues with availability of the witnesses and counsel" and contend that "[i]f an extension is granted, discovery will close 20 days prior to the May 21, 2013 hearing date." Mot. at 1. The People further state that counsel for Packaging Personified, Inc., agrees with the relief requested in the People's motion. *Id.* at 2. Under the People's request, the record-closing deadline would remain July 3, 2013.

The Board grants the People's motion to extend the discovery schedule. Accordingly, the parties will produce witnesses for depositions and complete all depositions by May 1, 2013. The record shall be closed by July 3, 2013.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Members Glosser and Zalewski Concurred.

I, John Therriault, Assistant Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on April 18, 2013, by a vote of 5-0.

John Therriault, Assistant Clerk Illinois Pollution Control Board