

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD
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STATE OF ILLINOIS
Pollution Control Board

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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WATER QUALITY STANDARDS AND) R08-9 (C)
EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS FOR THE) (Rulemaking - Water)
CHICAGO AREA WATERWAY SYSTEM)
AND LOWER DES PLAINES RIVER)
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO 35 ILL.)
ADM. CODE 301, 302, 303, and 304)



ORIGINAL

HEARING OFFICER ORDER

On February 21, 2013, the Board adopted a first notice opinion and order in this subdocket. On March 15, 2013, pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act (5 ILCS 100/5-40 (2010)), the rule was published in the *Illinois Register*. The publication in the *Illinois Register* begins a 45-day comment period. By hearing officer order of March 22, 2013, the first-notice comment period was set to close on April 29, 2013. However, on April 5, 2013, the Illinois Environmental Regulatory Group filed a motion with the Board asking for clarification of the Board's February 21, 2013 opinion and order. As a result, on April 15, 2013, the hearing officer rescinded the April 29, 2013 date and indicated a new date would be set after the Board ruled on the motion to clarify.

Today the Board granted in part and denied in part the motion to clarify. To avoid overlapping with prefiling deadlines already established for hearings scheduled in Subdocket D, the first-notice comment period in Subdocket C will close on July 1, 2013.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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