

ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

August 17, 2017

IN THE MATTER OF:)
)
NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY) R18-7
STANDARDS, USEPA AMENDMENTS) (Identical-in-Substance Rulemaking - Air)
(January 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017))

Proposed Rule. Dismissal Order.

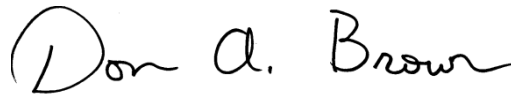
ORDER OF THE BOARD (by G.M. Keenan):

Section 10(H) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act (Act) (415 ILCS 5/10(H) (2016)) requires the Board to adopt ambient air quality standards that are identical in substance to the National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) adopted by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA). 415 ILCS 5/7.2 (2016). USEPA has codified these NAAQS at 40 C.F.R. 50.

The Board reserved this docket for USEPA amendments to the NAAQS that occurred during the period between January 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017. During that time, USEPA took three actions that require Board action. The Board, however, included action on all three USEPA actions in the prior update docket, National Ambient Air Quality Standards, USEPA Amendments (July 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016; March 20, 2017; May 11, 2017; and June 16, 2017), R17-10 (July 26, 2017) (proposed). Therefore, no action is necessary, and the Board dismisses this docket.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

I, Don A. Brown, Clerk of the Illinois Pollution Control Board, certify that the Board adopted the above order on August 17, 2017, by a vote of 5-0.



Don A. Brown, Clerk
Illinois Pollution Control Board