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Mr. Thomas E. Johnson  
Executive Director  
Illinois Pollution Control Board  
100 West Randolph  
Chicago, IL 60601-3233

Dear Mr. Johnson:

I am in receipt of your request that the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (hereafter "Department") do an economic impact study, pursuant to 415 ILCS 5/27(b), on Procedural Rules for Alternative Effluent Limitations Under Section 316(a) of the Clean Water Act: Proposed New 35 Ill. Adm. Code Part 106, Subpart K and Amended Section 304.141(c) Board Docket R13-20.

At this time, the Department is unable to undertake such an economic impact study. Therefore, I must respectfully decline your request.

Sincerely,

Adam Pollet  
Director

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