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Environmental Impact Statement

Scoping Comment for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Comment Form

How Do I Submit Comments?

- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at the public open house scoping meeting, or follow the directions on the reverse side of this sheet to mail your comments.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a member of the project team or court reporter at this public open house scoping meeting, or call the toll-free project information line: 1-800-347-0689.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the Surface Transportation Board's website, www.stb.dot.gov, under the heading "E-Filing."

Please refer to STB Finance Docket No. 35087 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. Comments must be submitted by February 1, 2008.

In the proposed changes to the EJ&E RR, I am most concerned about the crossings on County Line Road in Barrington & at Elm Road in Lake Zurich. Increased rail traffic in Barrington not only will cause huge traffic backups but is also a danger to pedestrians, especially high school students. BHS students cross these tracks every school day and they often are goofing off, visiting, hurrying so as not to be late, etc. and do not pay as much attention as they should to their own safety. Bypasses (tunnels) would be necessary & would be a huge expense - hopefully not borne by local government.

The crossing at Elm is on a commuter road that gets lots of traffic every A.M. & P.M.

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Comments provided by the public help determine the scope of the environmental review.

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