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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 See 01715.011508.Gatlin PCTZ. 60423. O. N. C. I

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.

My backyard is 20' away from the current EJ&E RR TRAC That run between 116th Ave & Wolf Rd in Sandalwood Estates Subdivision in Frankfort IL. We built our home here 5 years ago investing every penny we had in this home so that our children could grow up in a safe area. WE WILL lose our home and everything we worked so hard for if this acquisition goes through.

If this acquisition does goes through, there would have to be huge noise/vibration walls put up between 116th Ave & Wolf Rd as well as 4 way crossings and quiet zones. There was a new school (Heritage Middle School) which was recently built on Laraway and 116th Ave and the children use the crossing on 116th to walk back and forth to school. It is extremely dangerous for the children now since there are no crossing gates at all. The children walk up and down the tracks and with the amount of trains predicted with the CN acquisition, a child will definitely be killed. Also the concern of being able to cross the tracks via automobile. Traffic will be backed up regularly causing more air pollution and delays.

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

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