

13844

Other Submissions

In order to process your filing, please fill out the following information. If you do not know the docket number, please leave it blank and we will fill it out for you.

Please fill out the following information to help us complete your filing:

Docket #: - -

Subject: * CN Aquisition of EJ&E Railroad
First Name: * James
Middle Name: W
Last Name: * Huguelet
Address: * 4 Danhof Court

City: * Bolingbrook
State: * IL
Zip Code: * 60490-
Email Address: * jhuguelet@huguelet.com
Group/Affiliation:
Message: 20 September 2008

To Whom It May Concern:

Based upon the application filed by CN in support of its proposed acquisition of the EJ&E Railroad, I am very concerned about the negative impacts such an acquisition would have on my community if it were approved. By nearly tripling the amount of rail traffic that would pass through the area, it is clear that this would have a detrimental impact on the Bolingbrook, Plainfield, Naperville, and surrounding areas which are already struggling with traffic congestion issues. Unfortunately, CN also has a poor record in Canada of safety—one that we should be reluctant to invite into our communities. Finally, CN's evasiveness during its efforts to win approval for the merger do not indicate that it will be a concerned responsible member of our communities.

While the efficient movement of goods from suppliers to markets is essential to our national and local economies, such a dramatic increase in traffic and the associated issues that CN presents are not the ways to accomplish this. I respectfully request the STB to take this into account as it considers CN's application.

James W. Huguelet
4 Danhof Court
Bolingbrook, IL 60490