

10486

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/EJE purchase
First Name: * Paul
Middle Name:
Last Name: * Miller
Address: * 129 S, Commonwealth

City: * Elgin
State: * IL
Zip Code: * 60123-6118
Email Address: * pvmiller62@sbcglobal.net
Group/Affiliation:
Message:

Please do not let the Canadian National buy the Elgin Joliet and Eastern Railway. Over the last 10 years we have seen Canadian railways buy and dismantled our railroads here in the US. The CN already has enough of our railroads including the Illinois Central, Wisconsin Central, Central of Vermont, Grand Trunk and the DWP. I know their reason is to relieve traffic on the line they bought from the Wisconsin Central by moving those trains around the collar counties near Chicago. Not only will this tie up car traffic but they will have to cross 3 very busy main line rail traffic one being the Union Pacific in West Chicago which handles around 150 trains a day.

The CN does not need another US railroad. If they had planned better in the past they would not be in the bind they are now. If you figure by the time they buy the EJ&E for 300 million and with court costs and other expenses they should be up around 800 million. For that price they could rebuild the right of way going from Freeport Illinois to Centralia.

Please vote no on this purchase