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Comment Form

Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company

STB Finance Docket No. 35087

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Environmental Impact Statement

Date: 8-27-08

Comments must be submitted by September 30, 2008.

I am definitely opposed to the acquisition of the EJ+E Railway by the Canadian National railway!

The impact of the tremendous increase in the number of freight trains going through Barrington and surrounding communities will be awful.

There are so many things to take into consideration –
- Safety concerns for prompt service for fire & paramedics
- Safety for students going to and from school – and added time to get there
- traffic congestion in general – a deterrent for patrons of our local stores & businesses
- pollution on a day to day basis
- the threat of possible spills etc caused by an accident or derailment
- decrease in property values
- changing the small town character of the community that I have lived in for over 50 years.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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