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Comments regarding Canadian National Railroad
proposed purchase of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern
Railway.

My family lives south of the tracks in New
Lenox. This means to get to the hospital in an
emergency or if the police or fire department
need to be called, there will be very long
delays in their response time. Not to mention
my son's grade school is also south of the
tracks. Many schools are. Even if your North
of the tracks you will have the same problems!
North or South we don't want this purchase to
happen. We are very concern about the
increase amount of hazardous material that
will be coming through our town. Traffic
will be backed up at some of our main
routes. I am handicrap and often rushed
into the Hospital where seconds count.
This E.J.+E. purchase cannot happen! My
life and the lives of all New Lenox
residents cannot be ignored for the sake
of a railroad purchase by a giant corporation.
Please- Please do what you can to stop
this purchase. Thank you!

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