



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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Comments must be submitted by September 30, 2008.

This CN railroad proposal is terrible for the community's ^{Safety} ~~and~~ and Economy. It frustrates me to see our town cut in half. I cross these tracks many times a day, every day. I walk and am driven over the tracks and it makes me think, 'What is more important: My safety, or the money CN will make?'

I know what CN + thinks, money first safety second.

My dad owns a business in Barrington, ~~and our~~
and our income will not be the same. Without people
coming and spending money, we would be on the
streets.

I go to ^{Barrington} station middle school, and my bus ride is ^{already} an hour each way, to and from school. This is two wasted hours each day, which is 560 hours each ^{school} year.

My bus passes 2 tracks each day, per trip. This could add another 30 minutes each school day wasting another 140 hours I could spend studying and preparing for my future.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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