



Environmental Impact Statement

Scoping Comment for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Comment Form

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How Do I Submit Comments?

- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at the public open house scoping meeting, or follow the directions on the reverse side of this sheet to mail your comments.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a member of the project team or court reporter at this public open house scoping meeting, or call the toll-free project information line: 1-800-347-0689.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the Surface Transportation Board's website, www.stb.dot.gov, under the heading "E-Filing."

Please refer to STB Finance Docket No. 35087 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. Comments must be submitted by February 1, 2008.

I am whole heartedly against CN acquiring the EJ&E Railway for many reasons. Traffic in this town is horrendous as it is. Route 59 & Lake Cook roads are major thoroughfares for people to get to work. It currently takes about 25 minutes to travel 2 miles when you come to this town. Traffic stops for trains, stoplights, pedestrians, crossing guards & terrace drivers. Adding more trains than we will make a bad situation worse. Barrington tries to remain a "small town" so roads aren't widened & nothing is done to eliminate traffic.

Following the course of the tracks you should note the many schools that would be affected. If trains 10,000 tons long come thru w/ hazardous materials & there is any kind of incident hundreds of innocent children would be harmed. Minivan's would not be able to protect many areas, they would be stuck behind a train.

What scoping meeting did you attend? (Please circle): Mundelein, Barrington, Joliet, Matteson, Gary, West Chicago, Chicago.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

Comments provided by the public help determine the scope of the environmental review.

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