



Comment Form

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

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The DEIS report is not a fully responsible report of the full impact of the communities affected from the Wisc/Illinois Break to well below Joliet - the environmental and safety impact is below standards - placing extreme economic impact on all of the affected communities. The STATE of ILL & the Federal government have identified that additional funds are NOT available to improve the rail crossing areas that do require additional grade changes.

In addition - the government ^{levels} approving such a transfer of ownership has not acknowledged the downturn in local community economies, partly in effect due to the Cook County Tax increases that are affecting business in the affected areas.

Our Company has 40% of its ~~60~~ employees that are affected by train crossings, 50% of those employees will seek employment elsewhere rather than increase their commute. That will seriously affect our business.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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