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Environmental Impact Statement

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

Date: 8/27/08

Comments must be submitted by September 30, 2008.

I am totally against this acquisition for many reasons. One reason is the devastation it will cause to our Barrington Community. The traffic in town is bad enough when the trains come through & it will paralyze traffic for miles & miles in all directions. Emergency vehicles will not be able to act accordingly in the event of emergencies & ability to get people to the hospital. Our kids will be tempted to cross the tracks & we have had enough student train deaths in recent years that this will only encourage more. Getting to & from work will take forever & time is crucial especially when traveling to Chicago and other suburbs. Taking the train will no longer be a good option since it will take much more than an hour to get from Barrington to Chicago. Our kids go to school & we don't have the time to commute 4 or more hours per day & still be home for our children before & after school. A spill would devastate our wells & water. Our air will be polluted while waiting for trains to pass & the many times per day the trains will be coming through Barrington. This does not make sense. Take the rails out 20 miles further west where it won't affect as many people. And lastly, our property values will plummet! DO NOT LET THIS

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT! TAKE PLACE PLEASE!!!

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