

1 SCOPING MEETING FOR THE PROPOSED CANADIAN
2 NATIONAL RAILWAY COMPANY ACQUISITION OF THE
3 ELGIN, JOLIET AND EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY
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STATEMENT OF:

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ZOEY SIMOND

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august 27, 2008

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BARRINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

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616 MAIN STREET

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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

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2 Oak Lane, Lake Barrington. I am also a realtor
3 in Barrington here, I have been for 35, 36
4 years. I have seen it all come and go, and
5 this has been without a doubt I would say
6 probably the worse division of anything I have
7 seen in this community. It is tearing us apart
8 and there is just too much danger. Too many
9 problems are going to occur with this railroad
10 situation I mean, as far as, you know, safety
11 and getting somebody to the hospital.

12 Businesses in town are going out of
13 business, you know, because they will be
14 divided from one side to the other and the
15 gridlock that has developed over the years.
16 Now, it is just going to make it impossible to
17 even bring new people into the area. And all
18 of our businesses will be suffering because no
19 one will want to move into an area like this
20 where the good -- gridlock because they can't
21 move from one street to the other.

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