



Environmental Impact Statement



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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

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.

Re: Docket # 35087

The Railroad Tracks passing thru the town of Barrington, IL and neighboring Lake Zurich: From South West to North East the tracks cross 5x in the small town of Barrington.

Rt. 59 N. a 2 lane road is our only N/S access.

Lake Cook Rd / Main St. our only direct E/W access.

Northwest Hwy Rt. 14 crosses S/E to N/W.

Within just a few blocks there are 4 E/J+E crossings, and the Metra Rail crossing is just a few yards from the major N/S crossing of E/J+E.

Barrington High School could be blocked by a lengthy train both from the E/W access and the N/W to S/E access.

Of all the communities in the area, Barrington would be most severely affected due to the numerous E/J+E crossings within the small downtown area as well as the close proximity of the Metra Rail crossings.

The town could become a major standstill, and the hazard of two separate rail lines is a major safety issue.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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

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EJ&E Crossings

