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The Honorable Anne K. Quinlan, Esq.
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RE: CN Railway Company/EJ&E, STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Dear Secretary Quinlan:

I am writing to express my support of CN Railways' acquisition of the EJ&E to reduce rail congestion throughout Chicago. I am a resident of Harvey and every time I go some where by car, I am stopped by the traffic caused by rail congestion. This occurs 2 or 3 times each day. The trains move very slowly and it is very inconvenient.

If it were up to me, I would have all the trains from my area removed. However, I believe that CN's plan to reroute trains, lessening the congestion, will be a tremendous help. I urge the Surface Transportation Board to approve this acquisition.

Sincerely,

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