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Environmental Impact Statement

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.

This acquisition and the increased train traffic would have a severe impact on our community. We live between the towns of Barrington and Lake Zurich where there are over 10 crossings at street grade level.

• Schools are located near these crossings in both town. Increased train traffic adversely impacts students, buses and parents getting to and from school. Also there would be increased danger of accidents.

• The tracks run through a Lake County Forest Preserve Marsh. Obviously increased train traffic would have a severely negative impact on wildlife (noise, pollution)

• Access to our hospital, Advocate Good Shepard would be impacted by waiting for trains. This could severely impact emergency vehicles.

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What scoping meeting did you attend? (Please circle): Mundelein, Barrington, Joliet, Matteson, Gary, West Chicago, Chicago.

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YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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

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