

Mr. Marin Oberman
Surface Transportation Board
395 E. Street S.W.
Washington, D. C. 20423

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Dear Mr. Oberman,

I would like to inform you of my deep dissatisfaction of the Canadian Pacific and Kansas City Southern Railroads pending merger.

We live in Blue Grass, Iowa and continually hear the trains early morning and late at night. It is definitely annoying and upsetting. If I had small baby I am sure it would be awakened by the train sounds. I feel sorry for the people that must put up with the loud noises and trapped on the other side of the railway in the nearby towns.

If this merger goes through we will have many added trains to contend with and we will be put in added danger by the unsafe cargo. We will be blocked from using our beautiful Mississippi River and businesses will take a large loss of revenue.

I beg you to please do not allow this merger to go through. If you lived in my town and had the continued train noise and train danger, and lost the beautiful river recreation activities- how would you feel-what would you do?

Concerned Resident,
Shelby Yankee

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