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Subject: Comment: FD 36500 (Sub-No. 1) Illinois Central Railroad Company-Acquisition of a Line of Railroad Between Kansas City, MO, and Springfield and East St. Louis, IL-Kansas City Southern Railway Company
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Thank you for your letter dated October 20, 2022 addressed to Mr. Joseph Miniace, FAA Central Region Administrator. We appreciate the opportunity to comment on the proposed environmental evaluation for the rail line acquisition project. We generally do not provide comments from an environmental perspective.

Airspace Considerations

The project may require formal notice and review for airspace considerations under 14 CFR Part 77, Safe, Efficient Use, and Preservation of the Navigable Airspace. To determine if you need to file with FAA, go to <http://oeaaa.faa.gov> and click on the "Notice Criteria Tool" found at the left-hand side of the page.

Several items may need to be checked such as any changes in ground elevation, structures, towers, poles, objects, and temporary construction equipment that exceed the notice criteria. For projects involving long routes, multiple locations will need to be checked.

If after using the tool, you determine that filing with FAA is required, we recommend a 120-day notification to accommodate the review process and issue our determination letter. Proposals may be filed at <http://oeaaa.faa.gov>. More information on this process may be found at: <http://www.faa.gov/airports/central/engineering/part77/>

Please let me know if you have any questions,

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