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Insert Date 9/5/08

Phillis Johnson-Ball
 Surface Transportation Board
 395 E Street, SW
 Washington, DC 20423
 Ref: STB Finance Docket No. 35087

**RE: Canadian National Railway Company and Grand Trunk Corporation-Control—
 EJ&E West Company (STB Finance Docket No. 35087)**

Dear Ms. Johnson-Ball:

As a resident of the City of Warrenville for 4 years, I've been paying close attention to the proposed purchase of the EJ&E Railroad by Canadian National (CN). I know that the City of Warrenville has met with CN representatives three times and has conveyed resident concerns, particularly by those living so close to the tracks. It is my understanding, that there will be a significant increase in train traffic (over 70%) and hazardous waste traveling through our community.

The potential environmental impacts related to air pollution will be greatly increased and is of much concern. Like myself, there are numerous residents located immediately adjacent to the EJ&E Railroad line. Children and the elderly are the most susceptible and these groups are significantly represented within these communities. Environmental studies should be completed prior to the sale of the EJ&E Railroad line.

It is because of my concerns about safety and quality of life that I oppose this transaction. I hope the Surface Transportation Board considers the severe impacts on local residents when evaluating this transaction. Should you require further information, please feel free to contact me at 630 876 9060.

Sincerely,

Rosalie Buzard

cc: Judy Biggert, U.S. Representative - 6262 South Route 83, Suite 305, Willowbrook, IL
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