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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
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Ref: STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Dear Ms. Johnson-Ball-

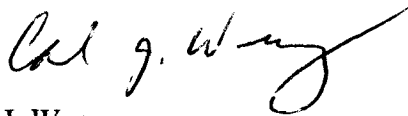
The purpose of this letter is to express to you and the other STB members that will be deciding the above referenced matter, our grave concerns about the proposed acquisition of the E, J & E railroad tracks by the CN Railroad.

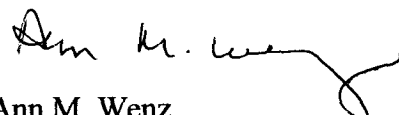
Approval of the proposed transaction will have a *significant negative impact* on Barrington and the surrounding communities.

- 1) Automobile traffic will be a nightmare.
- 2) Emergency vehicle movement will be delayed, resulting in the loss of life and property.
- 3) The movement of hazardous materials places all area residents in harms way.

We implore you to **VOTE NO** on this matter.

Thank you for your consideration.


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