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Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, SW
Washington, DC 20423
STB Finance Docket No. 35087

I am writing to let you know that I strongly support CN Railroad's proposed purchase of the EJ&E rail line.

- Significant reduction in rail congestion means lower consumer cost of goods. • Overall more people will be impacted positively than negatively.
- Jobs!
- It will improve the environment: trains that currently idle will instead be running quickly through the Chicagoland area.
- It will improve the quality of life for tens of thousands of families in the City of Chicago. We live very close to the trains; our personal circumstance is that the train line is less than ten feet from our building. There is tremendous noise, vibration, soot ... generally the current freight trains are tremendously disruptive to our lives, and unhealthy to boot.

Please approve this purchase. Thank you.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Domiano", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

(Reverend) Jim Domiano