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Environmental Impact Statement

Scoping Comment for the Proposed Canadian National Railway Company Acquisition of the Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway Company

STB Finance Docket No. 35087

Comment Form

How Do I Submit Comments?

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- **Written Comments:** Complete and submit this form at the public open house scoping meeting, or follow the directions on the reverse side of this sheet to mail your comments.
- **Recorded Comments:** Provide your comments to a member of the project team or court reporter at this public open house scoping meeting, or call the toll-free project information line: 1-800-347-0689.
- **Electronic Comments:** Submit electronic comments by visiting the Surface Transportation Board's website, www.stb.dot.gov, under the heading "E-Filing."

Please refer to STB Finance Docket No. 35087 in all correspondence addressed to the Surface Transportation Board. Comments must be submitted by February 1, 2008.

my biggest concern is the safety of our children & our community. This is potentially a life threatening situation in many ways. If there was a "Columbian" situation at the High School it would take our police and fire department much longer to get to the High School and our children would be at risk of dying. Many roads that access our Hospital would be blocked or take longer to get through, risking people with emergency situations lives and potentially killing them. The chemicals that the trains carry are toxic & carcinogenic - as a cancer survivor this and the pollutants from train emissions puts me and the rest of the community at risk. All of our main roads to get to work already have enough congestion - the train will add to this exponentially. The train passes very close to many houses and if it derails it could derail right into a house. A derailment could also cause a chemical spill which could be life threatening. Children rushing to cross the tracks & beat the train are at risk. The region's level will ruin our great neighborhoods on Route 59. People will not be able to get to work.

What scoping meeting did you attend? (Please circle): Mundelein, Barrington, Joliet, Matteson, Gary, West Chicago, Chicago.

YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

Comments provided by the public help determine the scope of the environmental review.

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