

December 13, 2007

BY HAND

Vernon A. Williams, Secretary
Surface Transportation Board
395 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D C. 20423-0001

**Re: Notice of Intent to Participate, STB Finance Docket No. 35087
Sub Nos. 1-7
Canadian National Railway Company and Grand Trunk Corporation –
Control – EJ&E West Company**

Dear Secretary Williams:

The Village of Barrington, Illinois ("Barrington") is presently a Party of Record in the above-captioned STB Finance Docket No. 35087. In addition, Barrington hereby gives notice of intent to participate in each of the above-referenced related Sub-Numbered proceedings as a Party of Record. Barrington requests that Kirkpatrick & Lockhart Preston Gates Ellis LLP also be added to the service list for each Sub-Numbered proceeding as Barrington's counsel of record. Accordingly, all filings, decisions, and notices in connection with this proceeding and with all related Sub-Numbered proceedings should be served upon

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Enclosed are 10 copies of this letter. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter by date-stamping the acknowledgement copy and returning it to our messenger.

Respectfully Submitted,



Brendon P. Fowler

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to the Board's November 26, 2007 Decision, I hereby certify that on this 13th day of December 2007, the foregoing Notice of Intent to Participate is being served by first-class mail, postage prepaid, on

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