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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](http://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.

The main problem with this proposal is public safety. The environmental impact study must determine the impact on fire and rescue services of 15-26 additional trains crossing all of the roads in the Barrington area. I predict people are going to die unnecessarily because of this. Unless underpasses are part of this project, it can't be helped.

This project should also undertake a survey of biological resources. It will discover at least one pair of endangered sandhill cranes nesting next to the runway. Fifteen to twenty-six new trains will certainly disturb lots of wildlife.

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

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### YOUR INPUT IS IMPORTANT!

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

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