Quick Start Guide:

Creating a backup for OpsPro files (A.K.A. "Backup Your Setup")

This step-by-step guide can be used to backup the user's OpsPro files, allowing for testing of various ideas and methods for moving cars in a desired fashion. This will establish a default version of the user's overall setup, which can be restored in the event of things getting "sideways" while testing out the ideas. To create a restore or "default" point, I suggest using this quick-start after inputting all those Cars before continuing. Then again perhaps after entering the other basics (Locations, Routes, Trains, etc.)

Step-by-step "How-To":

- 1. Open PanelPro (if not already open).
- 2. Select "Operations--->Settings" from the main menu.
 - a. Click on "Backup" at the bottom center.
 - b. Type in a memorable name (like "ABC RR Default" or "MyABC RR").
 - c. Click on "Backup".
- 3. Close the **Settings** window.
- 4. Close **PanelPro**, or continue to develop other sections.

Upon completion of this task, the time spent inputting all the data should not have to be repeated. Also, any further changes made by the user may be overwritten by using this How-To guide again, using the same memorable name as before. Or save new versions (tests or permanent) with different names.

All these quick-start guides are intended for use with OperationsPro, a stand-alone application accessed from within PanelPro. The use of any other PanelPro functions (such as creating a panel) is NOT required.