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Dear Sir


Safeguarding our observations: Met Office guidelines for wind farm developers.

I write to you after being contacted by my constituents regarding the above report published by the Met Office in April 2012. The report offers guidance to wind farm developers on the safeguarding of key meteorological radar facilities. I enclose a letter I have received from my constituents for your attention.

You will be aware that there are currently two proposed wind farms within my constituency; Brechfa Forest West and Bryn Llewelyn. I am very concerned to hear that the developers for Brechfa Forest West have failed to consult with the Ministry of Defence as a statutory requirement under section 42 of the Planning Act. In light of the MOD providing an objection to the Bryn Llewelyn application I would be grateful for your comments on this lack of consultation.

I look forward to receiving a reply in due course.

Yours sincerely,


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