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I would like to enlarge upon my earlier Relevant Representation concerning the lack of honest engagement by EDF since 2012.

At the three physical and one written consultations I found questions to EDF were often ignored, answers deferred, explanations were dodged and promised information never provided.

At one consultation I was talking with a local Councillor and was asked to leave by EDF as I was asking questions that could not be answered by them, and drawing attention to anomalies in their presentation.

Even the advertised claims by EDF on future employment, for example, were seen to be bogus and could not be substantiated.

As a surveyor I noticed that not only were the plans they produced at such small scale that they could not be read, and often these conflicted with the photographs shown.

After each of the consultations any request to see the results of their questionnaires were denied, and EDF's claims based on the results thus could never be discussed, disputed or checked.

Despite their claims it is easily seen that EDF have never listened to any local concerns when one might have hoped for honest discussions and engagement.

EDF's decisions have always be made based on the cheapest solution.

In the recent oral representations to the Planning Inquiry you will have noticed the frustration, the anger and even the tears caused by the complete lack of faith in everything EDF have said or done.

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