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Dear Planning Inspectorate,

**RE: Sizewell C.**

I write to you concerning deep disquiet about the proposed Sizewell C Nuclear Power Station planned on the Suffolk Coast next to the world famous RSPB Minsmere Bird Reserve and the protected AONB on a fragile, fast eroding sandstone coast. The arguments against this project are well known and become ever louder and ever more potent in this terrifying climate emergency that we are as a globally community all facing.

Put simply, Sizewell C is an environmentally devastating, delusional, outmoded and dangerous project demanding eye watering costs and HUGE, known and unknown risks. It's astonishing costs are in reality, unknown too. Sums that could be very effectively invested in safe, environmentally sound energy generation projects that we would all benefit from swiftly.

The arguments for the station are nonsense. We all know that Sizewell C will never 'fill a energy gap'. In the 10-12 years plus... building project we will be completely elsewhere technologically. The 'carbon neutral' postering is also wholly disingenuous, made even more stark with a proposed, eco nightmare, desalination plant to grapple with the station's phenomenal, unsecured fresh water needs. The impact on our environment, its biodiversity, on a coast that an earlier government quite rightly protected, on jobs - especially our major tourism industry, will all be stark and profoundly destructive at such a critical time.

And where's Boris with his eco credentials? Suffolk is a Conservative county, but no-one here sees this as a winner. Who then are the winners? Therein lies a question that we need to have explained.

Yours,  
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