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To the Planning Inspectorate

Re: Sizewell C Nuclear Power Plant

Climate Change is already upon us and the warming atmosphere means sea levels will rise on the east coast significantly. The location of Sizewell C is in that danger zone. With the half-life of plutonium being 24,000 years, and the nuclear waste being held on site for over 100 years, who will be on hand to protect the planet from some kind of power-plant meltdown seen in Chernobyl or Fukushima? There is no safe place to store the rods or the waste, as already seen when nuclear plants are shut down. The danger of an incident in the next generations (children, grandchildren) is too great a risk for too little gain.

The gains being proposed are not well substantiated -- the money required and the time spent alone means this will be outdated technology that will pose grief in the making and in the ongoing use. EDF has not got a good track record, so the project may not have a sustainable business platform. If the business isn't sustainable and the technology isn't sustainable, then this doesn't deserve a "green light" from you. You need to stop it now before the damage is done - potentially irreversible to the community and the environment - whilst not fulfilling the brief for green energy so desperately needed!

Green technology is the exciting potential for the future. Contrasted to Sizewell C, the benefits are long-term, the safety for everyone involved is high, the investments will insure us of a world we can and want to live in. We can't afford the costs of Nuclear Power. This project doesn't even pass a brief of "short-termism." It simply can't deliver what is needed, but it can damage what we've got and waste time and money. It is taking our attention away from solutions suitable for this century, not the last one.

Please look at all the objections raised by all the different groups and experts and members of the public. We all have a stake in this and in what you do next. Personally, I am asking you to uphold a future that works and by so doing, taking advantage of the opportunity to make a massive, life-saving decision. It is rare to have the opportunity to do something that would create so much good in the world. Take it!

Yours sincerely,

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