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To: SizewellC

Subject: Objections to proposed Sizewell C Development.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find below my objections to the Sizewell C Nuclear Plant Development:

Loss of rare habitat - The development will affect species and destroy land that lies within the Suffolk Heritage Coast, Suffolk Coasts and Heaths Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty including RSPB Minsmere Reserve and Sizewell Marshes.

Eroding Coastline - The site is part of one of the fastest eroding coastlines in the UK, the composition of the surrounding land mainly being of sandy cliffs and shingle. In effect Sizewell C could become an island in years to come.

Rising Sea Levels & Climate Change - The predicted sea level rises caused by climate change would flood the surrounding land ,with potential for serious unpredictable weather and severe storms that would accelerate the erosion processes leaving Sizewell C unprotected.

Damage to local tourism economy - Sizewell C will affect tourism in the surrounding area throughout the lifetime of the build. The Suffolk Coast relies on tourism, it is one of the main source of income for this region. People come for the quiet, unspoilt landscapes and peaceful beaches. This will be destroyed by the development.

Infrastructure - The road and rail network in the Suffolk region will not be able to cope with the estimated 12,000 extra vehicles, cars and lorries that will descend on the area daily. The extra park and rides, car parks and living campuses will bring traffic chaos to an inferior road system.

Choice of reactors - The type of reactor design has a bad track record, Hinckley running over schedule and budget. The only operating built reactor in China has reported problems and been shutdown.

Building costs - Payment costs has yet to be found. Tax payers should not be expected to finance through a nuclear tax on energy bills.

Nuclear power is not green - It is not a green energy when taking into account the start to finish end use. There is no long term solution for nuclear waste.

Jobs for locals - EDF wants to relocate its Hinkley workforce to Sizewell, jobs for locals is unproven. An influx of workers from all over the country will not give locals jobs.

Kind regards,

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