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For the Attention R. Smith, Esq., Lead Examiner -
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My Ref 20023478

Dear Mr. Smith:

Re: NDAs questions and Cumulative Impact Assessments - Ref 20023478

I understand that Scottish Power has a number of NDAs with local organisations and individuals and while I do understand that these cannot be made public surely the Inspectorate has a responsibility to examine them to ensure there are no vested interests that the public should be aware of.

The overall damage and lasting changes that this substation and subsequent ones will make on such a rural and unspoilt area of Suffolk must surely mean that an Enquiry is duty bound to ensure that complete transparency is maintained when looking at the evidence and no one should be prevented from speaking out by the use of NDAs by Scottish Power.

May I also ask if a sufficient Cumulative Impact Assessment has been undertaken by Scottish Power on the countryside - it would appear that only two weeks ago while the countryside was under heavy snow one such assessment was undertaken of the river hundred area. Given the years Scottish Power has had to carrying out assessment and ecological importance of this area, why was it being done so late in the day and will the Inspectorate and those living in the area see the report and be able to comment on it.

This enormous and unnecessary project will ruin a beautiful part of Suffolk, tourism and enjoyment of the countryside by residents will be long lasting, if it will ever recover, only in order that large international Corporations can take the cheapest and quickest route to maximise their profits. Wind power is a necessary part of our green energy supply but it is pointless if it creates more pollution that it prevents. This project should come ashore and join the grid at Sizewell or use a ring main.

Yours sincerely

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