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The Planning Inspectorate.

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Dear Sir/Madam

The applicants revised Heritage Assessment Addendum Doc Ref ExA.AS-11.D4.V1 is purely their biased view. How can building a 35 Acre “plus” (with NGV extensions and potential convertor stations also in the offing”) Industrial complex with Pylons, Cable Sealing Ends and massive gantries at the bottom of my garden over the next potentially 15 years with all the other CI projects that are in the public domain that we all know of!! result in an outcome of “Less Than Substantial Harm” it’s a joke right? In my opinion, the impact is devastating on all the heritage assets and a medievalvillage; it is wanton destruction of all that should be precious to the people of east Suffolk and to our future generations. What are we going to leave for our children if we carry on destroying the planet?

You need to come and see it from my windows. Life at [REDACTED] over the last several weeks during the archaeological works has been a living nightmare. All vegetation and insect life killed by the landowner destroyed with chemicals. All wildlife has been displaced on a plot of several hundred acres. Eight, 30 ton diggers working constantly along with bore hole drills six and a half days a week. My property access frequently blocked, my postman refused access to the property on one occasion, this is the Royal Mail, I thought mail delivery was sacrosanct? Obviously not if you are SPR. This is before a DCO consent, what will it be like if the DCO is consented? It will be Bedlam, the applicant has no regard for anyone!

The government says it takes its peoples mental health seriously! This does not seem to be the case for the elderly parishioners of a medieval heritage village and its surrounding heritage and non-heritage asset occupants. It seems to me thatno one gives a hoot all this seems to be is a box ticking exercise and to hell with the local population. We all seem to be expendable and our view and concerns of absolutely no consequence.

Why is it the planning process makes it advantageous' for land owners to allow Applicants to walk all over them, surely it is fairer if a landowner would get the same remittance if the project were consented whether they previously did or did not sign on to the project "they should not be penalised if they refuse to comply and are then subsequently compulsorily acquired". This is an unfair process it biases landowners to accept offers for fear of losing out in the long run, it borders on fraudulence. It must be amended for the future.

Most of my spring / summer's enjoyment of my home, Little Moor Farm will be taken away from me. This I believe is a violation of my human rights. Surely, no work should be allowed until a project is consented?

Please come down and see this wanton destruction of our homes, livelihoods and way of life. Ask yourselves would you like to live through this? What would your thoughts be if I inflicted this on you and there was nothing you could do about it, drowning in a miserable existence all future aspirations stolen from you, your children and your grandchildren. I ask you to ponder these thoughts, it becomes very depressing, it makes me so sad!

If the government has compassion please come and talk to the local people, this will give you a far better insight into what is being imposed on us. Do what you have said you will do, Don't destroy green fields, don't destroy coastal communities, carry out only projects that have true green credentials not those institutions that only pay lip service to it like Iberdrola / SPR. All they are interested in is cheapest job and the highest dividend yield for their shareholders, they talk with rhetoric.

The siting of these sub stations in this rural idyll is complete madness, there are far greener options than the site at Friston. Split the decision let's get the substation locations and design methodology correct, let's begin this switch to green energy with a success story that can be built on not a complete environmental apocalypse.

Kind Regards
Martin Cotter