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- 1. You're using the limits of a Rochdale Envelope in your visualisations which allow possible variations, and give only a vague indication of how the project could look, so is it appropriate to use the Rochdale Envelope in this case? Here the complexities of fitting an out of character construction into a rural landscape need careful consideration, using the very best and most complete information, and surely should be not based on inaccurate information.
- 2. Why did you place the converter halls outside the site footprint, further away from the viewpoint, and was that to create your possible underestimation in the visualisations?
- 3. Would it have been more useful to show 2 sets of visualisations, one set showing the possible minimum effect of the converter halls, and another showing an image of the maximum effect, rather than just a blue dotted line? Or would it have been best just to show accurate visualisations in worst case scenario, the chosen method of presenting the application, **and** a requirement of a Rochdale Envelope?
- 4. Once the decision was made to commit to HVDC, can the use of a Rochdale Envelope still be justified?

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- 1. Do you think it was a good design decision to choose Necton over Swardesden for the substation site, thereby irresponsibly creating a longer cable corridor for your project, and also causing a longer cable corridor for Hornsea 3?
- 2. Aren't you obliged by regulations to use the most efficient cable route? You've already been criticised in other applications such as Thanet for not doing so. One would have hoped you learn from previous mistakes.
- 3. Why were you so influenced by residents along the North Norfolk cable corridor that you committed to HVDC, and yet where that decision would have the greatest long term impact, in Necton, it was never a choice we were allowed to comment on?
- 4. Why was it never made clear in the presentations at Necton, that WE should have had an opportunity to influence the HVAC/HVDC decision.

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