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Subject: Re: Drax Re-power – EN010091 - Oral representation deadline and response to Drax's replies
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Drax Repower Team,

Apologies for our absence at the last hearing, it was due to a few illnesses in the group. We also didn't feel we had anything to give back at this stage or I would have tried to attend.

Here is our 'written' Oral representation by Friends of the Earth Selby, after replies from Drax to our written statement, prior to the deadline of the 13th December for these:

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We are not happy with the responses by Drax to our written representation. We were last in the list of responses and many of them are lazy, like the person didn't have time to bother with us. Many have remarks for us to 'check Clients Earth's responses'. In more than 50% of these situations the responses don't match and in the others they don't address things for us. We wanted to give a local view of the world and the damage Drax regularly causes us on a local level, yet nothing was mentioned about the local impact and their thinking around it. We would like Drax to revisit the replies they gave us. This will allow us to review the replies and respond. Client Earth is a different body and is linked to the legal justifications of why we should not allow the planning application, it also poses a national view more than our local view. For this reason, I dont feel our views have been taken on board or replied to. We really feel like we have just wasted our time with this process and we feel this could have been intentional, to make us feel insignificant.

I hope the planning inspectorate and Drax will review this as a matter of urgency, so we can re-enter the process and feel like we are part of it.

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Yours sincerely,

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Friends of the Earth Selby

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