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To: [Sunnica Energy Farm](#)
Subject: Re: EN010106 – Sunnica Energy Farm
Date: 16 May 2022 19:13:09

Dear Sunnica Energy Farm Case Team,

I am extremely concerned about this new and significant change to their DCO application. There are two main reasons. 1) The people of Sunnica and it many linked companies do not think through the planning in an appropriate way and are driven by one thing only. Their solar farm application is extremely flawed since they have no idea as to size (1.6 million panels or is it 1.1 million panels?) as well as 10 m high or 6 m high BESS which is extremely dangerous. Their behaviour to date of threat and then compulsory purchase order actually demonstrates how they think and behave. Any way to circumvent due process/correct procedures they will do it. Basically, no one actually knows exactly what their plans are even though they have submitted an application.

2) They are trying to fast track this amendment to minimise the potential for opposition, not only of this particular request but any further changes they may try to insert into their current solar energy farm planning application (in conjunction with the substation request). This is a major development and therefore the planning process should be delayed to allow the true impact to be assessed not by Sunnica but, for example, HSE, Natural England, Environment Agency, your good selves at the NI, and so on. I firmly believe that Sunnica are bad for people, properties and the environment. Something of this size needs proper planning and not something cobbled together in a get rich quick scheme.

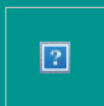
In summary, I believe a full consultation is required. The for and against allowed to put forward their thoughts/comments and hopefully some factual evidence (numbers would be nice). I put forward to you that a reasonable timetable be put in place to enable the correct research, decisions based on facts and not energy dependency panic media soundbites. I really am concerned because we really need to get our renewables right in the UK which suits the climate and energy infrastructure we have (hint hint – wind and hydro are the way forward).

Thank you for your time.

Kind regards, Dr Simon Stafford.

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Application by Sunnica Ltd for an Order Granting Development Consent for the Sunnica Energy Farm

Planning Act 2008 (as amended)

Request by the Applicant in Respect of the Timing of the Preliminary Meeting / Examination

Dear Sir/Madam

Unique Reference: 20030889

Please find below a website link (URL) to a letter from the Examining Authority requesting comments on the specific matters that has been published on the National Infrastructure Planning website.

<http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/document/EN010106-002191>

You can also view the letter under the Documents tab on the project webpage of the National Infrastructure Planning website:

<https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/eastern/sunnica-energy-farm/?ipcsection=overview>

Yours faithfully

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