From:

To: Sunnica Energy Farm

Subject: Ref: EN010106 Sunnica new requested timetable and amendments

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Dear Sirs,

Please find my comments on the specific matters published on the National Infrastructure Planning website with regard to the Sunnica Application EN010106.

My response to: Whether the Preliminary Meeting should be delayed until Mid-July 2022:

The DCO Application has, despite previous extensions, failed to satisfy the interested parties' desire for face to face consultations, as well as provide adequate answers to key concerns.

In this context, I cannot agree to a request for a further delay, arising from the applicant's failure to plan for risk mitigation for something of such material significance.

Even when adequate information and detail has been provided for all interested parties to consider; that consideration, and the duty of the applicant to consult (this time) fully, will be difficult to fulfil satisfactorily within the time frame imposed by a July 18th deadline.

With regard to the Applicant's proposed timetable to consult further on amendments intended to form the formal Change Request to be made to the ExA:

As stated above, the Applicant has demonstrated a lack of preparedness for an eventuality that should have been considered. If the extensive time they have had to get to this point has not allowed for this level of scrutiny, it is most unlikely that any amendments will be clearly thought out, properly assessed, with all attendant documentation in this time frame.

Notwithstanding the readiness of the documentation, the timetable will not allow for a proper consultation on a proposal which is a significant change to the original, and will impact very differently on all the interested parties, who need to be adequately informed and offered a proper consultation process.

I don't see that this will not be possible within 2 months.

Yours Faithfully Isobel Newport-Mangell