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To: North Shropshire Reinforcement

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Subject: North Shropshire Network Reinforcement Project

Dear Planning Inspectorate,

Having attended compulsory acquisition hearing on 11th July I was asked to briefly outline my concerns regarding the route for S P Energy 132 volt line .

I farm at Stanwardine Grange and have fully engaged with S P Energy over the past three years to try for the best route for environmental needs ,farming impact ,local community.

Stanwardine Grange has many individual attributes not found on other land the line crosses as follows ,

- 1) The land is the only organic registered block on the route
Soil Association agreement licence no G5028

- 2) The land is in environmental stewardship with Natural England
Entry level stewardship agreement
Organic level agreement
Higher level agreement

Agreement number AG00284783

- 3) Applications for countryside Stewardship in the process with Mid Tier
Applications ID number 751979

- 4) Stanwardine Grange is situated adjacent to the largest Community on the length of the route except for Oswestry and Wem which are towns .

- 5) Stanwardine Grange is the highest point above sea level on the route

For these reasons we have tried to suggest a route across Stanwardine Grange but unfortunately found it difficult with manner of S P Energy logic to the above issues.

Reasons for objecting to route pole by pole .

Pole 103 needs falling two trees T109 and T110 ,
No need to cut down as open hedgerow 40 meters north
Trees in environmental scheme with Natural England

Pole 104 falls in area of field that retains water and was original a pond
Concern over poaching of ground and impact of erosion of soil
with pole attracting cow to area to rub against

Pole 105 highest point on route
Because route changes direction needs two stays affecting
farming activity if line more direct no need for stays

Pole 106 and 107 these poles are 16 meters high and 160 meter span to

cross 11kv line so are high in sky line against the village
have suggested the 11kv line going under ground to reduce impact
Pole 108 again two stays because change direction resulting impact on
activities when there is no need with suggested route

As you may be aware where I have had numerous meetings and correspondents but
unable to come to agreement on route , we are 90% there but no movement from
S P Energy at present so we find ourselves in this position .

If any more information is required I would be happy to provide relevant maps and pictures plus
documents , thank for letting me put my concerns forward and previous statements .

Kind Regards

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