

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Aquind Interconnector](#)
Subject: Portsmouth
Date: 05 March 2020 16:01:07

Dear Sirs

I am absolutely appalled that consideration is still being given to this project when anyone with an ounce of commonsense can see it is just not a viable option unless you want to have Portsmouth permanently gridlocked for weeks on end - has anyone even looked at our island City and considered the traffic chaos if this goes ahead? I honestly thought as did my neighbours that this had been laughed at and turned down as it should now be without any further waste of money on consultations and so on.

Truly Baffled

)Mrs) Brenda Lock

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Aquind Interconnector](#)
Subject: Re: EN020022 - Aquind Interconnector
Date: 16 September 2020 00:06:57

This will be a disaster for Portsmouth and should have never have even been considered as it will gridlock the whole city and the sooner the whole scheme is thrown out the better. I cannot understand how it has got this far unless unbeknown to the public large sums of money are going into pockets somewhere, like the very generous donation to the Tory party. It seems this is just being pushed through regardless of what inconvenience it will be to the people of Portsmouth and Aquind are just like the Tory party prepared to ride roughshod over people with threats of CPO's or thinking they can wave cash around and buy car parks etc to get what they want. There were plenty of alternative routes so why choose the one place where you can cause the most disruption to a city already having traffic problems which are going to become worse after Brexit with all the problems with lorries arriving at the Ferryport or coming off the motorway into the slip road to the Ferryport which is only long enough to accommodate 13 lorries so after that the motorway will be brought to a standstill. I have kept hoping that someone would realise that Portsmouth has enough problems being on an island and the second most populated city in the country with only the 3 access roads without having huge trenches being dug up everywhere with subsequent road closures and causing havoc on the Eastern Road.

On Tuesday, 15 September 2020, 11:15:37 BST, Aquind Interconnector <aquind@planninginspectorate.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Sir/ Madam

The Planning Act 2008, Section 89, and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010, Rules 8, 9 & 13

Application by AQUIND Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the AQUIND Interconnector Project

Your reference: 20023321

Please find below a link to the Examining Authority's Rule 8 letter, giving details of the Examination Timetable and other important information about the Examination:

<http://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/document/EN020022-001181>

If these links do not open automatically, please cut and paste it into your browser. Alternatively, they have been published to the 'documents' tab on the project page of our website:

<https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/south-east/aquind-interconnector/?>

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Yours faithfully

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Subject: Interconnector
Date: 05 October 2020 22:17:12

I am writing to object to the plans to bring the cables through Portsmouth as this will be a disaster for the City and should have never have even been considered as it will gridlock the entire city and the sooner the whole scheme is thrown out the better. I cannot understand how it has got this far.

It seems this is just being pushed through regardless of what inconvenience it will be to the people of Portsmouth and Aquind are just like the Tory party prepared to ride roughshod over people with threats of CPO's or thinking they can wave cash around and buy car parks etc to get what they want. There were plenty of alternative routes so why choose the one place where you can cause the most disruption to a city already having traffic problems which are going to become worse after Brexit with the problems with lorries arriving at the Ferryport or coming off the motorway into the slip road to the Ferryport which is only long enough to accommodate 13 lorries so after that the motorway will be brought to a standstill. I have kept hoping that someone would realise that Portsmouth has enough problems being on an island and the second most populated city in the country with only the 3 access roads without having huge trenches being dug up everywhere with subsequent road closures and causing havoc on the Eastern Road.

Please let commonsense rule and throw the whole scheme out so we citizens have one less problem to worry about.

Brenda Lock