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To: Aquind Interconnector <aquind@planninginspectorate.gov.uk>
Subject: intended work at Milton, Portsmouth - objection

We are writing to object to the proposed route (through Milton, Portsmouth) of the Aquind Interconnector.

If this goes ahead, the effect on wildlife and also pollution/traffic levels will be devastating. Portsmouth is a very densely built-up area, and this part of Milton is one of the few places that offers a precious haven for nature - and for the human residents whose well-being is boosted by this. Additionally, there are protected animal species such as hedgehogs, newts and lizards that live here.

This is also an area where people (Milton residents, and those from the wider Portsmouth area) enjoy going for walks and also working on their allotments, which helps to enhance their/our physical and mental health.
During the pandemic of the last year it has become especially apparent how nature, and people's physical and mental well-being, are all matters of the very utmost importance.

Furthermore, we are concerned about the lack of clarity and consistency in your plans, the complicated language, and the way proposed plans appear to have been changed.

Yours sincerely,
Louise Marshall and Nick Maloret