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To: [Aquind Interconnector](#)
Subject: Re: Interconnector project in Portsmouth
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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to object to the proposed Aquind interconnector project. Myself and my husband have just moved to Milton, and after reading information that this work and this line is not only not necessary but could even be placed somewhere less detrimental to residents, wildlife and the environment, I am wondering why this is happening. I am also wondering how it came to be that this project has been granted the national status it has to supercede local government?

I am appalled to learn the work planned includes digging up areas vital to maintaining minimal traffic congestion, important areas for wildlife and some of the few areas of green space this side of the city has.

This plan is for an unsustainable energy source when the government recently pledged to be more green and this plan is not something the local councils have any say in which is not remotely democratic and doesn't seem transparent enough to the public.

Please make note of these valid objections and please make any future communication of information to the people it directly affects, more accessible and inclusive.

With regards,
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