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Subject: Aquind Interconnector

I understand that the decision has been delayed until 21st October.

I am writing again to ask that you consider **all** concerns that have been raised so far by the residents of Portsmouth and surrounding areas.

The laying of this cable will cause severe and, in some areas, permanent disruption to the city and the areas from there all the way to the substation at Lovedean.

Once again, I ask if you have ever been to the city of Portsmouth or at the very least studied its geography. If you had bothered, you would see for yourself the obvious issues that this project will cause. It is absolutely not the right route and, in my opinion, not the way we should be providing electricity in the long term.

The French do not want it, the citizens of all political persuasions in Portsmouth do not want it. It will not provide cheaper electricity and it is not renewable, as a nation we need sustainable and renewable energy.

Please when making this final decision please consider the people of Portsmouth, Farlington, Widley, Purbrook, Waterlooville, Denmead, Lovedean and all who live along the route

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