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**To:** Aquind Interconnector  
**Subject:** Aquind Project links between France & Portsmouth

**Categories:** Consultation Response

To whom it may concern.

I am Helen Cunningham, a resident of Portsmouth UK.

I am writing today to strongly object to your proposed plan for the Aquind Interconnector project which you want to run through the city & out into surrounding countryside.

This project & the work involved will have a massive affect on our road structure whilst work is going on. The plan to bulldoze through allotment & wildlife areas, which will have a detrimental affect on travel through the city, mental health issues. Loss of freedoms due to the above.

Portsmouth already has congestion & air pollution issues, & is densely populated, there are 3 roads only out of the city & if there is any sort of accident/emergency we get road blocks sometimes for hours, the impact of these roadworks could be huge, getting to hospital etc. Also, the proposed laying of cables, how is this going to affect security of our country?

I had the impression from this government we were going to become more effective at providing our own energy, especially after Putins invasion of Ukraine, this will make us reliant on France who have experienced their own energy problems this year.

Our local MPs have voiced their concerns about this Penny Mordaunt [Conservative] & Stephen Morgan {Labour}, the local City council have objected, All parties, the city as a whole do not want it.

You as a government work for the people, please listen & do the right thing for Portsmouth City & its residents.

Please throw this project out of the window, we OBJECT it.

Your Sincerely  
Helen Cunningham.

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