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Subject: Objections to aquind connector
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Dear sir or madam


I am writing to object to the ongoing plans for the Aquind connector. There are several reasons for my objection. These are a few of those major concerns:

- harmful effects on Portsmouth and beyond
- French refusal is still valid

Three reasons

1. With Aquind Interconnector an overcapacity for France
 2. It is the most uncertain project
 3. It lost it's Project of Common Interest status
- the need for the Aquind Interconnector in France is questionable
 - UK all interconnectors either running or approved make up nearly 17 GW, Lion Link another interconnector between UK and Netherlands has been approved, 1.8 GW
 - another interconnector Xlink currently discussed would provide 3.6 GW.
 - government plan by 2030 to have 18GW in interconnectors- well above this looking at all interconnectors above

- local authorities should have more say as they know their local environment
- why was this project given the status
Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project?



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