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**To:** [Aquind Interconnector](#)  
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Dear Sirs,

I am writing as a resident of Portsmouth to state my absolute wholehearted objection to Aquind being granted permission for planned works in and around the Portsmouth area.

This objection is not being made on grounds of nimbyism but on grounds of logic and intelligence. The benefits of the installation truly do not stack up and merit the absolute chaos that will be had within Portsmouth for months and months. I would hope that you are aware of the absolute gridlock that happened within the city recently when Southern Water had to fix a pipe leak and close a small section of the Eastern Road causing traffic to back up for miles around. This work only went on for days but being caught up in it I can vouch for the fact a journey that should have taken 30 mins took 4 hours - yes 4 hours and this is not tennable for those living in and around the city.

To go ahead and grant permission for Aquind will ride roughshod over the feelings of the residents of Portsmouth not to mention the appalling destruction of wildlife habitats in Langstone Harbour. Aquind is absolutely not welcome and the right decision must be made i.e. do not grant permission for them to go ahead.

Your faithfully

E.J. Morrison