

Mark Redding Ref 20010482

Submission on Northampton Gateway TR050006

Deadline 30th November 2018

In their response to Andrew Gough's written representation the Applicant has chosen to attack the Associate Professor of Logistic's suggestions for an appropriate methodology for assessing alternative sites (that undertaken by Aecom in 2010). They have specifically criticised the fact that only two of the three stages have been completed when presenting the conclusions of this assessment.

Had the Applicant undertaken any form of alternative sites assessment and come up with an alternative and conflicting answer then this might be a marginally acceptable standpoint.

However, the Applicant has produced no alternative sites assessment at all. That they have the gall to challenge a valid, tried and tested methodology when submitting no assessment themselves beggars belief. The Applicant continues to plough their own arrogant furrow whilst blatantly disregarding the statutory requirements of applicable legislation.

As previously stated this omission renders the application non-compliant with planning legislation which includes the Planning Act 2008 (as enacted by the NPS NN and Environmental Impact Assessment Directive) and The Town and Country Planning Act 2011.