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I object to EDF'S proposals to build Sizewell C&D, in summary, mainly for the following reasons:

- 1. It will cause chaos on local roads for years, especially when combined with other major developments & events, e.g. building substations for windfarms, housing & local attractions like Latitude. EDF's measures to mitigate this acknowledged problem lack any firm commitment and given their track record for flouting rules (e.g. cutting down Coronation Wood before doing the required bat survey), their word cannot be trusted.
- 2. It will ruin the character of the local area, which currently has an enviable reputation for peace, quiet & beautiful nature-rich habitats. Our quality of life and tourist based economy will be very significantly damaged in the long term. Sizewell B wasn't the straightforward success that EDF have advertised in their propaganda; it left Leiston with significant social and economic problems in its wake and took many years to recover from: it would be tragic to lose the businesses that exist on the back of tourism, tragic for our predominantly older population whose remaining years would be blighted and for the majority of young people too, who will spend their formative years with the detrimental impacts of living with a massive building site and it's challenges.
- 3. There seems too, to be a very real possibility that Sizewell C&D would end up being a massively expensive white elephant. Not until about 2040 would it start to contribute to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, which is too late; until then it would make the problem worse. It's also worrying that the proposed design doesn't have a good track record of being satisfactorily completed to time or budget, also that EDF is not in good health as a business and that potentially we in the UK will be expected to pay a limitless bill. Regards,

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