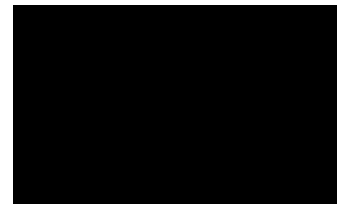


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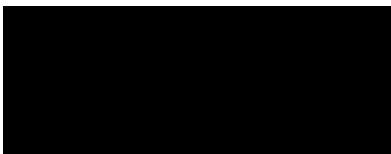
Dear Secretary of State

Botley West Solar

I am concerned that the Applicant is requesting a further extension to reply to questions which should have been fully addressed within the original planning timetable.

You already allowed an extension to 9 June. It is unreasonable for the Applicant to attempt to submit substantial data beyond your final deadline. As you said in your own letter of 8 June, the discipline of the planning process must prevail. It is essential to maintain its integrity and fairness to all parties.

I urge you to deny the Applicant's request for more time.



John Cartwright

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