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Dear Secretary of State

Botley West Solar Farm: EN010147

I am disappointed that the Applicant's late submissions have been accepted causing further delay in the decision for Botley West and requesting yet another response from Interested Parties.

I am a supporter of the Stop Botley West campaign and fully endorse the comprehensive SBW submission of 16 July [[C2-161](#)]. I am concerned that despite these new proposals the Application is still irretrievably flawed. Too many questions remain unanswered and the Applicant seeks to defer too many important decisions until after any development consent is granted when they will be beyond public scrutiny and challenge.

On a personal footing our property is directly on the flightpath of London Oxford Airport and we remain extremely worried about the trainee pilot safety with the current panel layout. Further panel removal near the airport is essential See C2-210 and C2-176).

Red Line Boundary

At least 300 hectares of land stated as not to be used by the Applicant remains within the red line boundary. This must be categorically confirmed and shown accurately as returning to agricultural use.

Heritage and Landscape

The Landscape Character Assessment requested by ICOMOS has not been undertaken and issues originally identified remain unresolved

In short the developers have obviously viewed the Governments willingness to pass these Solar Farms without proper scrutiny and therefore did not feel the need to satisfy any criteria. Please prove them wrong

We respectfully request the Secretary of State to refuse outright the grant of a DCO for this Application.

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