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To: Botley West Solar Farm
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Dear Secretary of State

I am writing to you again to register my dismay that the acceptance of the Applicant's late submissions has delayed the decision on Botley West yet again and resulted in Interested Parties such as myself having to write to you once more – despite us having followed the timetable set by your office throughout.

Furthermore, I remain convinced that, despite the material now provided by the Applicant, the Application is still irretrievably flawed. A whole host of questions remain unanswered (including a significant one of my own around the whole financing of the project) and it is clear that 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.

I am a supporter of the Stop Botley West campaign and fully endorse the comprehensive SBW submission of 16 July [C2-161].

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

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