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Dear Secretary of State

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I am disappointed that the Applicant's late submissions have been accepted causing further delay in the decision for BotleyWest 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 . 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.

The SBW campaign has worked long and hard following all instructions to the letter and keeping to the timetable set only to see the Government department responsible delaying the decision twice allowing more time for the Applicant to do work which should have been done within the agreed framework. Is this fair or just. I think not.

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

Christine Cooke

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