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Dear Secretary of State,

National Grid has got things badly wrong (I think deceitfully so) and OFGEM has failed to do anything about it.

It is a disgrace to hold a previous investigation on the basis of information that National Grid must have known was wrong. And so we now know it will be three times larger at more than £3bn. And this is combined with a reduction in expected use and capacity.

Sealink was always a mistaken project and is now unaffordable.

The economic argument is clear. But so is the unnecessary destruction of this part of Suffolk by the clustering of energy projects on top of Sizewell. I suggest you come and visit.

I live in Aldeburgh and can tell you all about it.

Regards

Stephen Barnard

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