

Swithenbank, Arne

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Case Officer,
Mr. Arne Swithenbank,
Moorlands House,
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Dear Sir,
Planning application SMD/2015/0220 Solar Farm Moneystone

You will be aware as case officer in the above planning application that no Environmental Impact Assessment has been required of the applicants by SMDC.

You may be aware of the recent changes to the Environmental Impact Assessment Regulations.
In particular I refer you to the Town and Country Planning (Environmental Impact Assessments (Amendment) Regulations (2015).

Furthermore the Forestry Commission are undertaking large scale felling of trees in Carr Wood. This will not only impact the screening effect on the application but considerably alter the disposition of the wildlife of the area, including that of the area of the proposed solar farm site.

I write to invite your authority now to require the applicants in SMD/2015/0220 to carry out a full EIA.

Yours faithfully,
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The Hazles

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