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Subject: Inquiry on permit EPR/HP3228XT/V004: NNB Generation Company (HPC) Limited

Hello,

I would like to register an interest in the inquiry on the appeal to vary the permit to amend or remove the conditions relating to the design and operation of the Acoustic Fish Deterrent (AFD) system at Hinkley Point C nuclear power station.

I would like to make a representation that the terms of the Inquiry should be wide enough to allow scrapping of the licence to be fully considered, because any feasible fish diversion measures could not meet the Habitats Regulations.

Further grounds for scrapping include:

- The new international status of the area as a Marine Protection Area.
- The nuclear contaminants that would be disturbed in construction
- The killing of European Protected Species (EPS) sucked in with the abstracted water.

The killing of EPS is forbidden under the Conservation of Habitats & Species law, when there is an alternative. There is an alternative - to build a cooling system on the Hinkley Point site, using air-cooling or evaporative cooling towers.

Regards,

Emma Bateman



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