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Subject: RE: 26/0556

Hi Geraint,

Date: 18/08/2026

Location: Land Between M4 Motorway And South Wales Main Line Railway Near Llanwern Underwood And Bishton

Application Description: EIA SCREENING FOR A LARGE SOLAR FARM (DNS)

Application reference number: 26/0556

Planning Case Officer: Geraint Roberts

I refer to the above application passed onto Environmental Protection for consultation. While the formal decision as to whether an EIA is required does not sit with us. We advise that the developer pays particular attention to the several environmental impacts the development will cause. Given the location of the site between the M4 and the South Wales Main Line, the developer should ensure that a robust environmental assessment is undertaken of all potential impacts during both construction and operation stages. These are to be fully addressed to satisfy the local planning policies.

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Please find below the comment on the above planning appl.

Cofion gorau / Kind regards,

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