

(Energy Development)

From:
Sent: 06 October 2016 14:07
To: National Infrastructure Consents
Subject: Redetermination of Carnedd wen and Llanbrynmair windfarms and overhead lines

Dear Giles Scott,

Apologies for the late submission of this letter for the consultation.

We need to state again that these applications should be turned down; we had believed that this had already been achieved.

The construction of Garreg lwyd windfarm is underway and is already adding a major effect to the landscape in this Western uplands special landscape area from Llyn Gwyddior. Even though we knew that this windfarm had been granted planning we had not realised how enormous the turbines would appear from the area adjacent to Llanbrynmair and Carnedd wen windfarm proposals. We already are affected by Carno and Cemmaes windfarms so it is becoming difficult to appreciate this fabulous landscape without a view of turbines.

If Carnedd wen or Llanbrynmair windfarms were to be given permission, this locality would be destroyed by transition into blanket industrial wind turbine landscape with no relief. "Habitat restoration" is a joke, the habitat becomes wind turbines, roads and devastation.

We treasure, use, care for and enjoy this landscape that you are already destroying with so many turbines. We walk across Wales every June and ride across it on horseback in August, the Mid Wales landscape was breathtaking in its beauty. I do not believe that decision makers have any concept of how many turbines have already been built in mid Wales and the lasting damage that they would cause by allowing these proposals to go forward.

You have had petitions and massive turnouts to demonstrate the public opinion about windfarm development but you appear to disregard this, hoping that time will wear down the opposition. There must be a limit to windfarm development in Mid Wales and most people believe that was passed a long time ago. Please preserve what we have left of our landscape and turn these proposals down again.

Yours

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