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Application number on S62A/22/0006 (and UTT/22/2046/PINS)

I am writing to object to the proposal by Statera to construct a solar farm on 177 acres of land at Berden Hall Farm.

My name is Deborah Thomson

The reason for my objection is as follows:

This is a huge area of productive farmland (177 acres) which will effectively be lost for ever and seems to ignore Uttlesford's Policy ENV15 that says **small** scale renewable energy development schemes that meet local needs will be supported providing they do not adversely affect i) The character of sensitive landscapes; ii) Nature conservation interests; or iii) Residential and recreational amenity. This proposal is not small and I am not aware that it will meet local needs. It will irreversibly effect the character of the local landscape and this is a tragedy. I strongly object.

Deborah Thomson