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To: Section 62A Applications <section62a@planninginspectorate.gov.uk>
Subject: Application reference number S62A/22/0006

Berden Hall Farm Solar Factory

Dear Sir,

In addition to my previous serious objections to this proposal I would like to make a further appeal to The Planning Inspectorate, not to grant permission for this installation.

Any planning application, particularly for a proposal on a green field site, should satisfy some basic criteria:

It should show a positive benefit for the local population, providing jobs, housing, or medical centres and schools. This solar factory will not provide any benefit for the local population.

A planning application of this nature, must be able to demonstrate environmental benefits or be able to mitigate any negative impacts on plant and wildlife. A solar factory of this size in this location, will have a serious negative impact on the local environment and destroy the amenity value of the productive farmland for the local population permanently.

If permission is granted for one of the proposed solar installations in this location, it will open the floodgates for the whole area around the Electricity Substation to further highly detrimental developments and destroy the countryside.

There are vast acreages of factory and industrial unit roofs which should be utilised for solar installations and all new-build houses should have panel installed as standard. This would facilitate generation of electricity at the point of use and reduce transmission losses.

Once again I urge you to reject this potentially highly damaging application.

William Hampton