Objection to an urgent Crown Development Order for MOD Bicester Site A

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Dear Secretary of State,

I am writing as a local resident of the sleepy hamlet of Blackthorn to object in the strongest way possible to both the use of the urgent planning process and the proposal itself ; to accommodate up to 1,250 single adult male asylum seekers at Site A, MOD Bicester.

Apparently the Home Office first approached the MOD about the use of this site in November 2025. It is disappointing that calum Miller, my MP, did not hear of this until July 2026. It feels deliberately deliberately underhand to have avoided consult with our local council/ representatives.

I am sure you anticipated objections from the local area- I'm sure that you do wherever you put asylum seekers, however this site is particularly unsuitable. The population will dwarf the local population, and I am particularly concerned at the idea the entire population will be male, housed in an area with no access to regular transport, no entertainment and I cannot help but feel that testosterone levels are going to ride high as frustration builds whilst people wait for the verdict to their claims. I have two little girls (4,2) and i confess i will not feel safe with this development down the road.

It is clearly unreasonable and inappropriate for this to be considered an "urgent" development. Any structure or development expected to last for at least 10 years should have careful thought & planning otherwise it is simply reckless. The Government cannot consider it for nine months and then give local residents a matter of days to contribute to a consultation.

I implore you to withdraw consent for this to be treated as an urgent application and instead insist that the usual planning process is followed.

Yours sincerely,

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