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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to express my deep concern about the proposed asylum centre in area near to where I live. This is of course the Bicester MOD site about which even the Prime Minister looked somewhat guilty when challenged on the idea in parliament by our local MP Greg Smith.

There are so many reasons why this proposal is a terrible idea but from my perspective, as a parent of two teenage daughters, it is simply unsafe.

To release 1250 single men into a rural community with nothing to do and no where to go is reckless and dangerous. The authorities will be gambling with the safety of our local population. How can you keep us safe when you have failed so many times before?
The answer is, you can't.

I agree with Andy Burnham that all areas of society need to share the burden of those claiming asylum in the UK. But it has to be done safely in an area with the infrastructure to support them and they should not be free to roam. We know only 1% of these men are genuine asylum seekers. We know many of them have very different ideas about respecting women and the price of life.

We already do not feel safe in rural communities due to the very high level of crime. Now you are planning to add the fear of rape and assault?

The government is fully aware of the dangers of these centres. They know they can't keep local communities safe. Yet they are choosing to continue to house these people in totally inappropriate settings.

Please act and abolish all asylum centres where the men can roam free and abandon plans to site them in rural communities.

I am also asking you to please extend the representation period which is unfairly short and ends on a weekend. People need time to gather their thoughts and respond accordingly.

Yours faithfully

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