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To whom it May Concern:-

Thank you for the opportunity, once again, to raise my objections to this particular project. My previous objections are attached and still stand!

My comments on the new issues which have been raised are as follows:-

- I strongly reject the latest assessment by the DPHI where they change their minds and want to reinstate 15 of the 17 non-compliant turbines – making HOG Wind farm a 62 turbine project rather than the DPHI’s Final Assessment Report to the IPC in February of this year, for a wind farm with 47 turbines. This should be reinstated!!
- I strongly object to and reject the DPHI’s agreement to grant Engie (a private company) the right to a Voluntary Land Acquisition imposed on a private landowner’s land (property (DAD 01) to suit Engie’s financial viability
- I strongly object to the very dangerous precedent that DPHI is setting by imposing land acquisition on a private land holder by a private commercial multi-national company. This would mean that legal dwelling entitlements and approved development applications are not respected or safe in New South Wales

In conclusion and including my previous objections, this particular project has far too many negative consequences for the environment, communities and government bodies. It is definitely not in the Public interest to proceed with this project.

Regards
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Hills of Gold Wind Farm Amended Application Number SSD 9679

I object to the Engie Hills of Gold Wind Farm Application. I also wish to note that my previous objections to the original EIS remain current and applicable to this Amendment Report, November 2022.

I acknowledge and accept the NSW Department of Planning and Environment's disclaimer and declaration.

- I chose to live where I live because of the pristine environment and beautiful views which are afforded by the Crawney/Nundle range
- The creek on which we live, Perrys Creek, starts from a fresh spring very near the top of the mountain directly behind us and is a major water source for stock and household use.
- This creek will be impacted by the disturbance and movement of soils, flora, rocks etc in the building of the wind turbines
- When the creek floods, all this debris will be washed down into our valley and into our flood fences etc causing major damage
- During bushfires (2009/2019/2020) the only way to fight these was with aerial water bombing by helicopters!! There is no way they will be able to do this with Wind Turbines on the ridges!
- Abundant wildlife will be sadly affected by the movement of the wind turbines
- No consultations from those involved in said project, indeed none of the Timor Community has been included in any consultations, indeed, UHSC is questionable in it's credibility of this particular project
- Roads around the Nundle/Timor area are not built to take heavy loads of machinery etc which would be required for such a project, and as Crawney road to Teamsters Rest is the shortest route from the New England Highway, the volume of traffic etc is of a large concern to residents who use this road throughout their daily lives, livestock trucks and especially our local school buses! Not to mention trucks from the local Limestone Mine. This road is predominantly a single lane carriageway, from the turnoff at Blandford – New England Highway to Nundle. Indeed, there have been slippages on the Crawney pass resulting in large sections of the road washed away.
- A major impact on the resale value of our property

I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous two years.