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I Object to the above-mentioned project. I have tried the submission form it did not work.

SSD – 9679

The Hills of Gold

I object to the Hills of Gold windfarm proposal.

My submission refers to new information presented to the IPC for the Hills of Gold Wind Farm.

I object to the changed recommendations of the Planning Department in their recommendations to the IPC.

The Planning Department decision that the public benefit of the 372MW of renewable energy that could be generated by Hills of Gold outweighed the community's individuals' rights and environmental impacts.

So the locals are sub-humans and have no property rights.

They then recommended reinstating 15 of the 17 turbines initially recommended for removal.

As mitigation for 11 of these turbines, they recommended voluntary acquisition – the developer must offer to buy the impacted landowner's property if the owner requests. This is at a price that is independently deemed to be "market value". So Engie then by putting up these turbines, renders the adjacent property worthless, once devalued they will buy this property for a greatly reduced amount.

For 3 of the turbines that were causing high visual impact to another landholder, the developer requested that they change the guidelines they were using, (from their own guidelines) so that they were only deemed to be causing moderate impact and recommended tree screening, instead of turbine removal.

For turbines that had environmental impact, they will add to their Biodiversity Offset Liability. We own property adjacent to the project, NO further Money has been offered to us, to offset this liability.

I say Skulduggery and deception. No fire protect, no water access confirmed and a yet to be agreed on viable transport route.