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Reference: Winterbourne Wind Farm SSD - 10471

**I OBJECT to the Winterbourne Wind Farm development.**

- I declare that I have not made any reportable political donations in the previous two years
- I acknowledge and accept the Department's disclaimer and declaration.

- My family has lived on this property for 5 generations. There has been a house at this location for 130 years but we were never contacted and found out about the project by accident.
- We are 5 km from the nearest turbine. I am concerned about the visual impact, noise and light flicker. We are near neighbours but were not even on the map at the start.
- This project is in the wrong place. It is too close to a rural town, Walcha, and too close to the World Heritage National Park. Our peaceful agricultural area will become an industrial landscape.
- Water is precious. During the drought many bores dried up. This project will require a large amount of water. But from where? This question has not been adequately addressed in the EIS.
- Our other property at 400 Thunderbolts Way is even closer to the project. We had future plans to build a retirement house there but would be overlooked by turbines.
- This project is too big, badly planned and does not properly address legitimate concerns of many people. Profit before people's lifestyle!

Signature

John Preston