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Subject: New comments for application NY/2025/0030/ENV

New comments have been received for application NY/2025/0030/ENV from Mrs Alison Duncan.

Comments:

Today nobody should deny that climate change is happening, deregulation of the weather, flooding. unless however they wish to ignore the serious consequences.

This current request from Europa Oil and Gas to drill for gas on the edge of Burniston village, north of Scarborough is untenable - fossil fuels should be left in the ground if the human population is going to live well in the long term. The new Government's approach is to move to renewable energy which is clean and renewable.

Extracting gas from Yorkshire is principally beneficial for the investors Europa Oil and Gas and their shareholders.

Fracking in other parts of the UK has shown the dangers of this type of development- pollution of the water table, earth tremors, destruction of the landscape in an area of tourism..

The method Europa wants to use is hydraulic fracturing ("fracking") despite calling it "proppant squeeze"; this is dishonest in view of the moratorium on fracking.

For these strong reasons I disapprove of this project and ask you to disallow fracking in Burniston, North Yorkshire. Since hundreds of people, old and young, are against the project too, I believe that if you allow it you will open the door to widespread civil disobedience.