

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** [Planning Control](#)  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Planning reference.NY/2025/0030/ENV - Europa Oil and Gas application for appraisal drilling at Burniston Mill Site  
**Date:** 12 January 2026 22:03:41

---

Dear sirs

I am writing this email to you with the hope that you will consider deferring the decision to go ahead with any further discussions regarding the above scheme before considering the following points and before going ahead with any final decision.

A: The Draft National Planning policy is under consultation until March 2026 which contains changes to proposed fracking operations, specifically "to remove the weight given to mineral extraction benefits" , these changes directly affect the viability of E O GS application which relies on current policy.

B: The U K government decided to ban any further fracking by spring 2026 especially after the huge anti fracking movement supported by 80% of the public after the disastrous outcome in some areas of the U K especially in the Preston area where earthquake tremors were at an unacceptable level after environmental spillages and not wanting the consequences suffered in the U S A especially in Pennsylvania and being banned in Washington, New York, Oregon, Vermont , Maryland, etc.

C: The U K government has also recently implemented legal changes to its current policies that may effect the planning decision so it would be logical to await their response before reaching any pre decisions to proceed.

D: The planning meeting regarding this application should be held in Scarborough thus ensuring all affected residents and parties will be able to attend the proceedings ensuring a fairer democratic balance of points and views

E: Site visit : Councillors should visit the proposed site personally so that they are able to take into consideration the local environment and consider the effects regarding effects of transport on local roads and environmental pollution, possible effects to aquifers rivers, streams, cost to households reselling housing, detrimental health effects to humans and to wildlife.

I urge the council to consider the previous points before going ahead with it's decision  
Regards

Mr Glyn Challinor  
Dove cottage  
Brancliffe lane  
Shire oaks  
nr Worksop  
S81 8pt