## Clifton Hampden Parish Council June 2024 Reference Location/Description

**Date Registered** 









## P24/S1759/O



## P24/S1498/FUL

Land to the north of the Culham Science Centre Thame Lane near Clifton Hampden OX14 3GY

The development of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS), comprising a 500 megawatt (MW) battery storage facility with associated infrastructure, access and landscaping, with a connection into the Culham Jet National Grid substation. (A hard copy of the Environmental Statement can be viewed at South Oxfordshire District Council, Abbey House Abbey Close Abingdon OX14 3JE).REPRESENTATIONS IN WRITING BY 28 JUNE 2024

The Parish Council recognises the need for BESS plants to regulate the National Grid but believes that this Green Belt site is unsuitable. The site would be an eyesore affecting views from the Thames path, Nuneham Park and the village. Despite reassurances about the potential fire risk, more information is needed about accessibility for fire engines and hydrants. Release of poisonous gases is another potential hazard which makes this site near the Culham Science Centre and its children's nursery undesirable.

25 April 2024



