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River Bank House (6th floor)
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London, N22 8HQ

Dear Sirs,

Pinkham Way Waste Plant

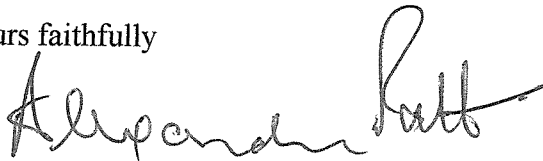
Would you please treat this letter as my objection and opposition to a designation of the former Friern Barnet Sewage treatment site as a Locally Significant Industrial Use. The loss of any protection for the nature conservation value of the site would be detrimental to the natural and local environment.

JZ/H
The loss of the caveat to protect the nature conservation is a major change to the protection of this site. A consequence would be the likely loss of this valuable conservation site, which is one of only nine sites designated Grade 1 of Borough Importance for Nature Conservation.

It would widen the range of uses on the site to include heavy industrial type uses, with all the potential noise, pollution and traffic congestion impacting upon the local environment.

JZ/H
National policy has recognised that networks of natural habitats provide a valuable resource and this should be reflected in the Core Strategy, and specifically in the designation of the site. The Government has just concluded its consultation with regard to National Planning Policy Guidance and it would be premature to re-designate in advance of consideration of the NPPG which should then lead to consultation on the Core Strategy.

Yours faithfully



Alexander Patt