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Facts relating to WIND FARMS on the North Wales Coast

Has anyone in government, councils, N Power etc been out on the North side of the Constable Bank in the worst weather conditions imaginable? If they had they would have first hand knowledge of the value of the bank, realising that it is the saviour of our coastline, without it disaster could strike the area of the coastline from Llandudno to Prestatyn.

To think that N power could despoil it with the construction of turbines, without consent or planning permission is beyond belief. Nowhere in their graphics, or their updated project, do they mention the Constable Bank. They have been requested and challenged over this many times but have not brought forward any evidence or proof. Rhyl Flats was, and still is, the consented area, but N Power are going ahead with this project. Blatantly ignoring the rules and regulations of the law.

Most people would like to know why the government seems to be allowing this to go ahead.

The destruction of the bank is the concern of the whole of this coastal area, not just wind farms, all the wind farms and turbines one could muster would in no way compensate for the banks destruction. The bringing in of more large rocks, stones and sand movement along our coastline would have no effect whatsoever, only make matters worse.

Swindles are commonplace in politics along with bogus causes and calculated deceptions. This is one time when people power should show the reason for exposing this. The reason for electing organisations to protect us against this kind of deception should be made evident.

A one metre rise in sea level could obliterate Llandudno and other areas as well. Would you, if you required advice on a maritime situation take advice from a commercial marketing project manager, or someone with expert knowledge of the situation? Who cares and wants to protect this coastal area for generations to follow.

## VIDEO OF STORM DAMAGE 1990

This is one occasion when the Constable Bank helped save Llandudno. If the sting had not been taken out of the storm by the Constable Bank just imagine what would have been. 1990, a big northerly storm with loss and damage around the coast.

Promenade closed to traffic.

The video shows sea level rising until level with the promenade and then over spilling. All traffic diverted down Nant-y-Gamar Road, which itself was awash.

Llandudno situated between the two Ormes, a flat stretch of land between two shores North and West is very vulnerable. The sea level is debatable. Viewed from streets approaching the promenade there appears a slight rise upward trend to the promenade. If as stated there is even a one metre rise in sea level, without the Constable Bank protection Llandudno would be devastated, even obliterated. Hoteliers etc. on the front should be awakened to this, most probably are, even Mostyn Estates along with many others appear to be worried.

The erection of thirty turbines which would damage the bank are strongly objected to by a huge number of the public. N Power have not had any consent to erect them on the bank, but are trying to sway the public with some very devious ploys, to move the location from Rhyl Flats to the bank, which are miles apart. All the turbines one could muster could not compensate for the destruction of the Constable Bank. If damaged the situation would be irreversible, our natural barrier destroyed for ever.

Do not wait until it is too late, say no to these turbines. According to Malcolm Wicks the Constable Bank could be classed as a mobile feature, a ridiculous statement. Regarding location it could be said that his co-ordinates are mobile, miles from the consented area.