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Dear Planning Inspectorate

SABIC UK PETROCHEMICALS LIMITED AND SABIC PETROCHEMICALS BV (URN 20053908)

**APPLICATION BY MORGAN OFFSHORE WIND LIMITED AND MORECAMBE OFFSHORE
WINDFARM LIMITED FOR**

**THE MORGAN OFFSHORE WIND PROJECT AND MORECAMBE OFFSHORE WINDFARM:
TRANSMISSION ASSETS DEVELOPMENT CONSENT ORDER (EN020028)**

DEADLINE 3

Since submitting its Detailed Written Representation at Deadline 1, SABIC has announced the decision to permanently close its ethylene manufacturing plant (the **Cracker**) on Teesside.

As a result of the publicity surrounding this announcement, it is anticipated that the Examining Authority may have some questions around how the closure will affect SABIC's operations and its concerns as set out in its Detailed Written Representation:

1. SABIC's announcement does not affect the LDPE Plant or SABIC's pipelines.
2. Specifically, SABIC remains and will remain the operator of the TPEP and, notwithstanding the closure of the Cracker, SABIC's case in respect of the need to protect the TPEP (and the broader UK ethylene production and supply industry) remains unchanged.

Yours faithfully

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