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Your letter says:

‘The No 1 Aromatics plant..... has undergone significant changes during the period 2001 – 2010 hence it has not been possible to calculate an average flue gas flow rate during the period 2001 – 2010. The average flue gas flow rate has been calculated for the plant since it has been operating in its current configuration since January 2012.’

**That will not do.** If you want the No 1 Aromatics plant to be included in the finalised TNP, you will have to calculate as best you can the average fuel use and hence waste gas flow for the period 2001 to 2010, as demanded by Article 32 of the Directive.

However, to provide a “marker” for the plant, I am content to use the ceiling contributions you have calculated, but I must have the underpinning figures for fuel use and waste gas flow and the conversion factor which underpin them. I also need that information for the Olefins Plant. In other words, I need figures to enter in columns, J, K and M of Table A.1 in Annex A of the attached. Please send this information to me by **close on Tuesday 11 December**, together with a short note on the measures foreseen to enable the plants to comply with the Directive after the TNP expires at the end of June 2020.

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**Subject:** RE: To the LCPD Stakeholders Group

Richard

Please accept my apologies for the lateness of this response. Current plans for future operations at the No1 Aromatics plant are uncertain at present, hence the decision for its late inclusion in the TNP.

Regards

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**From:** Control Pollution (AQIP) [mailto:Control.Pollution@defra.gsi.gov.uk]  
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**Subject:** To the LCPD Stakeholders Group  
**Importance:** High

To the LCPD Stakeholders Group

Dear Colleagues

I am sending you the following on behalf of Richard Vincent:

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With just over a month before the deadline for the submission of the UK Transitional National Plan, and in the light of some new views from Commission officials, I would urge you:

- (i) to ensure that you have submitted the required information on all the plants which you envisage being in the TNP. If you are really not sure, it's better to submit, but please do not submit "just in case";
- (ii) if you do decide to submit more plants, it is essential that the required information reaches us as soon as possible and certainly by **Friday 7 December**;
- (iii) if you know that you have submitted incomplete information, please update it as soon as possible and certainly by **7 December**. Some submissions lacked information on first permit date and even the rated thermal input. Others lacked information on fuel use and waste gas flow; and
- (iv) if you haven't already, submit for each plant an indication of the measures foreseen for it after the TNP finishes.

Finally, if you are aware of any operator who remains unaware of the TNP option (although all the indications are that all do), please draw it to their attention urgently.

Richard

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