

Dear Ashley, Ella

As just discussed with Ella on the phone, we would like to thank you again for the opportunity given to TotalEnergies to answer your query on Kashagan project.

As TotalEnergies is not the operator of this project, we will leave it to the North Caspian Operating Company (NCOC) to provide you with a formal response to your questions – by end of the day today.

Kindly note that TotalEnergies has actively encouraged and supported NCOC in its efforts to prepare the most complete and transparent responses possible.

We would also like to highlight some important global principles and commitments guiding TotalEnergies activities worldwide:

- TotalEnergies operates in many countries with diverse and complex economic and socio-cultural environments, where governments and civil society have particularly high expectations of the Company in terms of exemplary behavior. In this context, the Company wants to have a positive impact on society by helping to promote ethical principles in all the countries where it operates.
- TotalEnergies is also committed to respecting internationally recognized human rights wherever it operates, including the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the core conventions of the International Labour Organization (ILO), the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights, the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the Voluntary Principles on Security and Human Rights (VPSHR).
- In every country where TotalEnergies operates, it is committed to managing its operations in a sustainable, active and positive manner, whether in terms of safety, health, climate, the environment or shared development. Its projects comply with international technical standards from the design stage in order to limit exposure. Technical standards include applicable regulatory requirements and refer to industry best practices.
- TotalEnergies places the environment at the heart of its ambition to be a responsible company. Given the specific nature of its activities, it entails environmental risks for which TotalEnergies is developing a structured management policy.
- At the heart of the climate challenge, Total, which has become TotalEnergies in 2021, has set itself the goal of being a major player in the energy transition. TotalEnergies' mission is to provide energy that is more available, more affordable, cleaner and accessible to the greatest number of people. In this context, the Company's ambition is to achieve net zero net emissions by 2050, together with society for all its activities.

Please find by the [link](#) more detailed information on our sustainable performance.

Do not hesitate to let us know should you not have received NCOC's response in time.

Remaining at your disposal,

Best regards,

[TotalEnergies]