Margaret,

Have you ever heard of a company called APA?

**APA is the largest gas pipeline corporation in Australia** – and one of the only companies that could build the pipelines needed to transport fracked gas from the Beetaloo basin.<sup>1,2</sup>

APA's plan to build gas pipelines in the NT are key to Tamboran and Empire's disastrous fracking plans.<sup>3</sup>

But APA don't only build pipelines. **They're one of the largest energy infrastructure businesses with big investment in renewable energy.** And they care a lot about their reputation.

We have a huge opportunity to put APA's reputation on the line and pressure them to walk away from investments that risk the climate and cultural heritage, at their upcoming AGM.

With the media, shareholders and investors watching on, our allies at Market Forces will table an open letter calling on APA to ditch their dirty NT gas pipeline plans.

But to make sure this open letter has the weight of tens of thousands of voices demanding APA scrap their gas pipeline plans in the NT, we need you.

Will you add your name to the open letter calling on APA to rule out building pipelines enabling fracking in the Northern Territory?



For over a decade, Traditional Owners have been fighting to protect water, Country and the climate from fracking.

The powerful GetUp movement is standing with Traditional Owners to stop fracking from every angle.

Together, we've made fracking in the NT a national issue, putting fracking corporations disastrous plans in the spotlight, and ramping up the pressure on the territory and federal government to act

We've won an inquiry into fracking and the water protection laws and just this week, we made media headlines calling out Labor's hypocrisy at their Nature Positive Summit.<sup>5,6</sup>

Standing in solidarity with Traditional Owners, we kicked Origin Energy out of the Beetaloo, and we're holding fracking corporation Empire Energy and Tamboran Resources to account. We'll be following and scrutinising their every move.

And now, our powerful movement can put APA in the spotlight at their most important event of the year – their AGM.

Margaret, sign the open letter to add your name calling on APA to ditch their dirty gas pipeline plans.

**APA** has already signed initial agreements to support the first phase of Empire and Tamboran's plans.<sup>7</sup> The large-scale pipelines would unleash the Beetaloo's massive climate-wrecking emissions, and threaten water, sacred sites and connection to Country.

But it's not too late for APA to rule out building the gas pipelines.8

Without APA, Tamboran and Empire will be hard pressed to find another company to build the gas pipeline they need to open up fracking in the Beetaloo. This is make or break for fracking companies in the NT.<sup>9</sup>

If thousands of us act now, we can put APA's reputation on the line with a hard hitting open letter hand delivered at their AGM.

Will you add your voice to the open letter calling on APA to rule out gas pipelines for fracking corporations in the NT?

In solidarity,

Amy, Jason, Tamika, Alex, David and Shirley - for the GetUp team

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