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Increasing diversity of gas quality

Dear Mr/Ms,

This letter is intended to inform you about the increasing diversity in gas composition transmitted through our network. Since your system is connected to the Dutch grid, this change may affect you and the end users connected to your system.

The gas composition in the Netherlands has been changing gradually over the years, arising from the declining production of Dutch gas and the gradual replacement of Dutch gas by natural gases from other fields. This process has been going on for years, and it is expected to accelerate in the next few years. The gas supplies that are being contracted by market parties for the near future could influence the composition of the gas flows, which could affect the combustion behaviour of gas utilization equipment. It is important for end users to check their gas utilization equipment in time to safeguard the well-functioning of this equipment. This is why we have provided detailed information about gas composition to all end users connected to our grid.

Recently we have informed all end-users who are connected to our system and our shippers about these changes. We advise you to take note of the changes that are detailed in the attachment to this letter. Please note that the situation in the Netherlands may deviate from the situation in your supply area and that the changes mentioned may have already been catered for by your end-users, in which case no further action will be necessary.

We hope we have informed you sufficiently with this information.

Yours sincerely,
GAS TRANSPORT SERVICES B.V.



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Attachment: Background and details of the changes