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Dear Ian

## Comments on the draft ToR for the role of independent facilitator

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on the Gas Industry Company's (GIC) draft terms of reference (draft ToR), issued on 25 May 2018, for the role of independent facilitator for future workshops on the single Gas Transmission Access Code (GTAC) proposed by First Gas Limited.

Vector Limited (Vector) fully supports the establishment of the role of independent facilitator and the GIC's draft ToR for that role.

We welcome clause 13 of the draft ToR, which provides that "[t]he independent facilitator will not speak to the media on any matter relating to the workshops or the design and/or process of developing the GTAC".

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Yours sincerely For and on behalf of Vector Limited

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