



Dear decision maker,

I am asking you to say #NoGasPipeline to Malta!

The proposed Melita TransGas pipeline between Sicily and Malta, estimated to cost €400 million, would lock Malta in a dirty fossil fuel future for decades to come. This goes completely contrary to the renewable energy transition we need and the advice of both the International Energy Agency (IEA) and the International Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), who said that “new fossil fuel infrastructure is incompatible with international climate goals”.

Furthermore, if the Melita TransGas pipeline were built, it would result in a pay out to the ultimate beneficial owners of Electrogas, who currently operate the gas-fired power plant. This includes Yorgen Fenech, who is accused of complicity in the assassination of journalist Daphne Caruana Galizia. Electrogas is contractually eligible for around €85 million in “compensation” when and if the pipeline is commissioned.

We ask that you, as a key decision maker, champion a fossil free future for Malta and Europe. We need you to ensure that no public money (national or EU funding) goes to the Melita TransGas pipeline project, and to reject its inclusion on the 6th PCI list*.

Sincerely,

Your name

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* the list of [Projects of Common Interest](#), which means projects can benefit from accelerated permitting procedures and EU funding. The PCI list should no longer include fossil fuel infrastructure projects.

This letter is part of an initiative by the [Daphne Caruana Galizia Foundation](#) and [Friends of the Earth Malta](#), opposing the Melita TransGas Pipeline. This initiative is part of EU-wide actions asking for ‘People over Polluters’ led by the [Fossil Free Politics Coalition](#).