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# Shell CEO: Industry must accept future role of renewables

The oil and gas industry must accept that renewables will play a significant role in future energy mixes, but gas will remain essential until technology can provide a full shift away from fossil fuels, Shell CEO Ben van Beurden said in a speech this week.

As global energy demand grows, emissions must be reduced, but renewables cannot yet provide the energy needed for sectors such as transport and industry, Shell CEO Ben van Beurden told an audience in Stavanger, Norway.



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