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Dear ,

Thank you for your letter to Simon Roberts which has been received into our Executive Office. I have been asked to look into your concerns and respond on Simon's behalf.

Sainsbury's are committed to reducing our plastic packaging by 50% by 2025 as part of our Net Zero by 2040 commitment. We removed difficult to recycle plastics including dark coloured plastic, PVC and Polystyrene from our own brand packaging where feasible over 2019-'20 and are working towards making all our plastic packaging 100% reusable, recyclable or compostable by 2023.

Our commitment to halve our plastic packaging by 2025 is based on an approach of remove, reduce, replace, reuse and recycle. We also collaboratively work with the supply base and as members of the UK Plastics Pact are in alignment on targets below by 2025 to enable creating a circular economy for plastics, capturing their value by keeping them in the economy and out of the natural environment.

1. Eliminate problematic or unnecessary single-use packaging through redesign, innovation or alternative (reuse) delivery model
2. 100% of plastics packaging to be reusable, recyclable or compostable
3. 70% of plastics packaging effectively recycled or composted
4. 30% average recycled content across all plastic packaging.

We also offer our customers the opportunity to bring back plastic bottles, pots, tubs, trays along with polyethylene film and carrier bags to facilities in our stores for recycling.  
You can find out more by visiting [www.about.sainsburys.co.uk](http://www.about.sainsburys.co.uk).

Thank you for taking the time to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,

  
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100% post consumer waste recycled paper.