Interactive comment on “The role of East-Tethys seaway closure in the middle Miocene climatic transition (ca. 14 Ma)” by N. Hamon et al.

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Dear Referee,

We thank you for your comments that will help us improve our manuscript. Following your advice and that of Dr. Herold (Referee #1), we will rewrite our Introduction, including detailed summary of previous modelling work, oceanographic data and tectonic events of the closure of the East-Tethys seaway. We will also rewrite part of the discussion as you suggested.

Please find attached a point by point reply to your review (italic).

Regards,
Dr. Noémie Hamon and co-authors

Please also note the supplement to this comment:

Interactive comment on Clim. Past Discuss., 9, 2115, 2013.