

CABINET MEMBER DECISION

Decision:

(i) Details of decision

THE SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL RESPONSE TO THE BAA HEATHROW AND BAA GATWICK CONSULTATIONS ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL NOISE DIRECTIVE: DRAFT NOISE ACTION PLANS (2010-2015)

That the key issues set out in paragraph 7 and Annexes 1 and 2 of the report submitted be agreed as the response to BAA's consultations on the Environmental Noise Directive Draft Noise Action Plans (2010-2015) for Heathrow and Gatwick Airports, subject to the addition of the following bullet point to the list of key issues to be included in the covering letter:

- The Action plans do not acknowledge that the current night flight regimes for both airports come to an end in 2012, three years before the plan expires. The plan should acknowledge this and seek to restrain the quotas for night flights after 2012.

(ii) Reasons for decision

To ensure Surrey County Council's views are made known to BAA Heathrow and BAA Gatwick, and to maintain pressure on BAA to improve the noise environment around Heathrow and Gatwick Airports.

(iii) Details of any alternative options considered and rejected

None

(iv) Details of any consultation and representations received not included in the published report

None

Conflicts of Interest

(Any conflict of interest declared by any other Cabinet Member consulted in relation to the decision to be recorded)

None

Dispensation

(Any dispensation granted by the Standards Committee in respect of any declared conflict of interest to be noted)

None

Decision taken by:

(i) Name: Lynne Hack

(ii) Portfolio: Environment

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Date decision effective (i.e. 5 days after date of publication of record of decision unless subject to call-in by the Environment and Economy Select Committee): 24 September 2009