



18 August 2011

Ms Sue McIntosh
Executive Director
International Air Services Commission
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Dear Ms ~~McIntosh~~ ^{Sue}

Application for Capacity – Thailand Route

Qantas seeks an allocation of capacity to support its code share arrangements with Jetstar Asia.

Under these arrangements, Qantas plans to place its code on additional Jetstar Asia services between Singapore and Thailand, as soon as all necessary approvals have been received.

Allocation sought

Qantas seeks an allocation of fourteen frequencies per week to be used for third country code share services on the Thailand route, on the following basis:

- the allocation is requested for a period of five years from the date of the determination; and
- the allocation will be fully used by 30 September 2011.

IASC Act and Minister's Policy Statement Considerations

This application should be considered against the general criteria for assessing the benefit to the public in paragraph 4 of the Minister's policy statement.



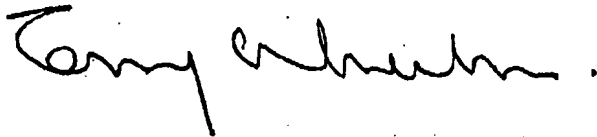
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These criteria state that the use of entitlements under a bilateral arrangement is of benefit to the public, provided a carrier is reasonably capable of obtaining the necessary approvals and implementing the proposal.

We would be pleased to provide any further information the Commission may require in support of this application.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tony Wheelens". The signature is written in a cursive style with a prominent initial "T".

Tony Wheelens
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