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Ms Marlene Tucker
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International Air Services Commission
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Via email: Marlene.Tucker@infrastructure.gov.au

Dear Ms Tucker,

Application for Capacity Allocation – Indonesia

From 1 February 2018, Qantas' wholly-owned subsidiary, Jetstar Airways Pty Limited (Jetstar), plans to increase services between Australia and Indonesia. Jetstar is planning to operate these services using B787 aircraft configured with 335 seats and A320 aircraft configured with 180 seats.

Allocation Sought

Qantas seeks an allocation of capacity of 1,300 seats per week on the Indonesia route on the following basis:

- the allocation is requested for a period of five years from the date of the determination;
- the capacity will be fully utilised by 30 April 2018;
- the capacity may be utilised by Qantas or another Australian carrier which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Qantas;
- the capacity may be used by Qantas to provide joint services with any wholly-owned subsidiary and by any wholly-owned subsidiary of the Qantas Group to provide joint services with Qantas;
- the capacity may be used by Jetstar to provide services jointly with Emirates.

IASC Act and 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.

These state that the use of entitlements by an Australian carrier under a bilateral arrangement is of benefit to the public, provided that it 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,

Rohan Garnett

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