

STANSTED AIRPORT CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

Aviation Strategy Note by the Secretary and Technical Adviser

The Government has published its response to the Call for Evidence exercise undertaken last year which sought views on the proposed aims, objectives and policy priorities to be considered in the development of a new Aviation Strategy.

Having considered the feedback received, the Government has confirmed the six objectives, which are unchanged following the consultation:-

- **help the aviation industry work for its customers**
- **ensure a safe and secure way to travel**
- **build a global and connected Britain**
- **encourage competitive markets**
- **support growth while tackling environmental impact.**
- **develop innovation, technology and skill**

In Chapter 8 of the document [click here](#) the Government sets out the next steps and states that the Government will be carrying out a period of widespread engagement that will inform its green paper. The Government will now issue a single green paper this autumn (rather than the original plan of issuing three tranches of discussion papers). In preparation for the green paper, the Government will be holding a series of roundtables and workshops. The Government plans to publish a New Aviation Strategy in early 2019.

Recommendation

It is recommended that EIG and UEG at their next meetings consider further how best to become engaged in the government process as the policy develops.

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