

Subject: Safeguards for Airports Response YKSC

Dear Nicholas,

While not considering myself to be knowledgeable in many areas included in the discussion paper I am pleased that opportunity for discussion and input have been requested from all parts of the industry.

Kingscote Aerodrome is a relatively small regional airport some 14 kilometres from the nearest town of Kingscote.

Our largest current RPT aircraft is a SF340 operating up to 5 times a day. Areas within our PSZs are rural farm land with minimal habitation.

As such our major existing concerns are protection of our operational airspace (particularly the OLS) and bird and animal control considerations.

Any reform that strengthens planning and safety regimes without significant budget implications for small Council owned and operated airports such as ours, where already there may be financial sustainability issues would be timely and welcome.

Kind regards,

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