

APPROVED DISPENSATIONS**INDIVIDUAL DISPENSATION DETAILS FOR PERIOD: 21/03/2018 – 25/04/2018****DETAILS OF DISPENSATION**

Date: Sunday, 25 March 2018
Aircraft: A330-200
Registration: VH-EBC
Operator: Qantas Airways
Operation: Arrival

Circumstances Leading to Request: Qantas Airways flight QF566 (Perth to Sydney) was delayed when a crew change was required. A dispensation was approved to land no later than 11:15pm. There were 261 passengers and ten crew members on board. The aircraft landed at 11:10pm.

Approved: Yes

Reasons for Approval: The Delegate was satisfied that the circumstances met the three criteria required for issue of a curfew dispensation.

DETAILS OF DISPENSATION

Date: Sunday, 25 March 2018
Aircraft: A380-800
Registration: A6-EUK
Operator: Emirates
Operation: Arrival

Circumstances Leading to Request: Emirates flight EK413 (Christchurch to Sydney) was diverted to Brisbane due to airspace congestion in Sydney. A dispensation was approved to land no later than 11:40pm. There were 502 passengers and 28 crew members on board. The aircraft landed at 11:28pm.

Approved: Yes

Reasons for Approval: The Delegate was satisfied that the circumstances met the three criteria required for issue of a curfew dispensation.

DETAILS OF DISPENSATION

Date: Sunday, 25 March 2018
Aircraft: A380-800
Registration: A6-EDO
Operator: Emirates
Operation: Departure

Circumstances Leading to Request: Emirates flight EK413 (Sydney to Dubai) was delayed due to an aircraft change as the original aircraft was diverted to Brisbane as a result of Air Traffic Control (ATC) holding. A dispensation was approved to depart no later than midnight. An extension was approved to 12:10am to allow for a disruptive passenger and their bags to be removed. There were 347 passengers and 30 crew members on board. The aircraft departed at 12:07am.

Approved: Yes

Reasons for Approval: The Delegate was satisfied that the circumstances met the three criteria required for issue of a curfew dispensation.

DETAILS OF DISPENSATION

Date: Wednesday, 4 April 2018
Aircraft: A330-200
Registration: VH-EBB
Operator: Qantas Airways
Operation: Departure

Circumstances Leading to Request: Qantas Airways flight QF583 (Sydney to Perth) encountered a hydraulic system failure while enroute to Perth. The aircraft returned to Sydney and an aircraft was substituted for the Sydney to Perth service. A dispensation was approved to depart no later than 11:30pm. An extension was approved to 11:50pm as the aircraft was delayed by an aeromedical aircraft landing. There were 261 passengers and ten crew members on board. The aircraft departed at 11:49pm.

Approved: Yes

Reasons for Approval: The Delegate was satisfied that the circumstances met the three criteria required for issue of a curfew dispensation.

DISPENSATION REQUESTS REFUSED**INDIVIDUAL DISPENSATION DETAILS FOR PERIOD: 21/03/2018 – 25/04/2018****DETAILS OF DISPENSATION**

Date: Friday, 13 April 2018
Aircraft: A320-200
Registration: VH-VNC
Operator: Tigerair Australia
Operation: Arrival

Circumstances Leading to Request: Tigerair Australia flight TT282 (Melbourne to Sydney) was delayed after an engineering fault was detected on the previous sector. A dispensation was requested, however it was refused. There were 180 passengers and 6 crew members on board.

Approved: No

Reasons for not granting Dispensation: The application did not meet the criteria required for approval of a curfew dispensation.

DETAILS OF DISPENSATION

Date: Wednesday, 18 April 2018
Aircraft: A330-300
Registration: VH-EBA
Operator: Qantas Airways
Operation: Departure

Circumstances Leading to Request: Qantas Airways flight QF 497 (Sydney-Melbourne) was delayed as a result of an engineering fault which occurred on the original operating aircraft in Melbourne. An aircraft substitution was made for the Sydney-Melbourne flight, however, no crew could be sourced in Sydney. QF497 was delayed as the operating crew were arriving from Melbourne. A dispensation was requested, however it was refused. There were 242 passengers and 11 crew members on board.

Approved: No

Reasons for not granting Dispensation: The application did not meet the criteria required for approval of a curfew dispensation.