

FOI Request 15-48
Level 2 Disruptive Passenger Incidents
01 Jan 13 to 05 May 15

Subject	Date of Incident	Summary	Photos Y/N
Disruptive Person	January 2013	A flight was forced to return to departure airport after a male passenger became violently abusive and threatening on-board the aircraft towards the crew. POI was arrested by police and conveyed to hospital and assessed by mental health staff. No further police action required.	N
Disruptive Person	July 2013	Police attended and arrest a male who may have been suffering from mental health issues on board an aircraft. The male was restrained on board the flight after acting erratically.	N
Disruptive Person	February 2014	Two disruptive persons were flexi-cuffed by staff during a flight after making verbal threats.	N
Disruptive Person	March 2014	Aircraft was diverted from original route due to three disruptive passengers on board. A female and two male passengers had been abusing other passengers and making threatening statements to crew. On arrival the passengers were escorted from the aircraft by police and were undergoing questioning.	N
Disruptive Person	April 2014	A passenger smoking on an aircraft in flight assaulted two cabin crew members and was restrained for the remainder of the flight.	N
Disruptive Person	April 2014	During a flight a passenger became disruptive and attempted to gain access to the cockpit. The passenger was restrained by crew and moved to the back of the aircraft. The pilot in command radioed Air Traffic Control to request police assistance on arrival. The aircraft landed and there were no major disruptions to airport operations.	N
Disruptive Person	July 2014	Aircraft in flight returned to departure airport due to an unruly passenger. The plane was approximately one hour into the flight at the time. Police met the flight on arrival, took the passenger into custody and the flight was cancelled. The passenger was charged with a number of offences and bail was refused due to nonappearance in court.	N
Disruptive Person	September 2014	Aircraft was diverted to alternate airport due to a disruptive passenger. The passenger was threatening other passengers and crew. The aircraft landed without further incident and the passenger was escorted off the aircraft by police. The aircraft resumed its flight after experiencing a minor delay.	N

Disruptive Person	September 2014	Flight was diverted due to a disruptive person on board. Male passenger believed to be affected by alcohol or drugs. There are officers on board who have the passenger restrained. Passenger has broken through 5 sets of restraints. Aircraft landed and passenger was met by police. Passenger was taken into custody.	N
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