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As Members will know the Government has been carrying out a second consultation in relation to airport development options in the South-East. The only new feature in this second consultation is the inclusion of runway options at Gatwick.

In this context the Council has agreed that it should submit a supplementary response bearing in mind the full response the Council submitted at the end of November. The Stansted Airport Advisory Panel has given consideration to this supplementary submission and this is attached. Members of the Environment and Transport Committee are asked to consider the submission and make a recommendation to the Council which meets on 12 June. Any changes following the Environment & Transport Committee meeting will be reported by its Chairman to the Council meeting.

RECOMMENDED

That the attached supplementary submission be approved as this Council's further response to the Government's Consultation Paper on the Future Development of Air Transport in the UK

Background Papers: Government Consultation reports.