



Date: 14 January 2021

Reference: 18/P/5118/OUT

Location: Bristol Airport, North Side Road, Felton, Wrington, BS48 3DP

Website: [www.n-somerset.gov.uk/airportappeal](http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/airportappeal)

Description:

Outline planning application, with some reserved matters included and others reserved for subsequent approval, for the development of Bristol Airport to enable a throughput of 12 million terminal passengers in any 12-month calendar period, comprising:

- 2no. extensions to the terminal building and canopies over the forecourt of the main terminal entrance;
- erection of new east walkway and pier with vertical circulation cores and pre-board zones;
- 5m high acoustic timber fence;
- construction of a new service yard;
- erection of a multi-storey car park north west of the terminal building with five levels providing approximately 2,150 spaces;
- enhancement to the internal road system including gyratory road with internal surface car parking and layout changes;
- enhancements to airside infrastructure including construction of new eastern taxiway link and taxiway widening (and fillets) to the southern edge of Taxiway 'GOLF';
- the year-round use of the existing Silver Zone car park extension (known as 'Cogloop Phase 1') with associated permanent (fixed) lighting and CCTV;
- extension to the Silver Zone car park to provide approximately 2,700 spaces (known as 'Cogloop Phase 2');
- the provision of on-site renewable energy generation;
- improvements to the A38 and its junction with Downside Road;
- operating within a rolling annual cap of 4,000 night-flights between the hours of 11.30pm and 6am with no seasonal restrictions;
- revision to the operation of Stands 38 and 39;
- landscaping and associated works.

## Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Appeal Under Section 78 by Bristol Airport Limited

**Appeal reference:** APP/D0121/W/20/3259234

**Appeal start date:** 11 January 2021

An appeal has been made to the Planning Inspectorate (PINs) against our decision to refuse to grant planning permission.

The appeal will be determined on the basis of a public inquiry. The procedure to be followed is set out in the Town and Country Planning Appeals (Determination by Inspectors) (Inquiry Procedure) (England) Rules 2000, as amended.

The public inquiry will open on 20 July 2021 and is currently scheduled for 16 sitting days. We will write to you again nearer the time with further details of the arrangements once these are known.

For any group or organisation who wish to take an active part in the Inquiry, the opportunity is available to apply for what is known as Rule 6 status. Although unusual, there is also scope for interested individuals to take part on the same basis. Rule 6 status means that you would be able to present your evidence on a formal basis and cross examine the evidence of others. [Guidance is available](#).

Arrangements for the Inquiry are currently being finalised by the Planning Inspectorate. These will include a pre-Inquiry conference call with the lead parties to deal with procedural and administrative matters, including how the evidence will be heard. As a Rule 6 party, it is anticipated that you would also be a part of that process. If, having read the above guidance, you wish to apply for Rule 6 status and have not already done so you should contact PINs immediately. If you are interested but are unable to access the guidance electronically, again, you should contact PINs who will try and assist.

You can find out more about the appeal and how to get involved at [www.n-somerset.gov.uk/airportappeal](http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk/airportappeal). We will forward any comments you made on the planning application and subsequent addendum directly to PINs, as well as the appellant. These will be considered by the Planning Inspector when determining the appeal.

If you wish to [make further comments, or modify/withdraw your previous representation](#), you can do so or email [Leanne.palmer@planninginspectorate.gov.uk](mailto:Leanne.palmer@planninginspectorate.gov.uk) If you do not have access to the internet, you can send your comments to:-

Leanne Palmer  
The Planning Inspectorate  
Room 3/J, Temple Quay House  
2 The Square  
Bristol, BS1 6PN

All representations must be received by PINs by 22 February 2021. Any representations submitted after the deadline will not usually be considered and will be returned. The Planning Inspectorate does not acknowledge representations. All representations must quote the appeal reference.

Please note that any representations you submit to PINs will be copied to the appellant and this local planning authority and will be considered by the Inspector when determining the appeal.

You can get a copy of one of the Planning Inspectorate's "[Guide to taking part in planning appeals](#)" booklets free of charge from GOV.UK or from us. The appeal documents are available for viewing on our website [www.n-somerset.gov.uk](http://www.n-somerset.gov.uk) via the planning application number 18/P/5118/OUT.

When made, [the decision will be published online](#)

Yours faithfully

Appeals Support Officer  
North Somerset Council