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Please see attached letter regarding CASA's Hobart Class C airspace.

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Kind regards,



Airservices Australia





Branch Manager Civil Aviation Safety Authority GPO Box 2005 Canberra ACT 2601

10 November 2020

Hobart Airspace - Class C



As you are aware, CASA's December 2019 Airspace Review of Hobart recommended that Airservices should submit an airspace change proposal for the introduction of a Class C tower service supported by Class C terminal airspace within 12 months from publication of the report.

According to the Airspace Review report, the introduction of Class C recommendation was to address a predicted future increase of aircraft movements, including the replacement of aircraft by those with greater seating capacity and differing performance. In addition, the report on page 4 states that the airspace, based on current traffic, is fit-for-purpose.

At the time of the report this recommendation aligned with the work underway as part of Airservices Airspace Modernisation Program (AMP). However, due to the impact of COVID19 on traffic levels, many of Airservices initiatives, including AMP, have been revised.

I can report that preliminary scoping work for the introduction of the "Tassie Approach" has occurred, however, in consideration of traffic levels, the implementation is no longer in accordance with the timeframe aligned with the Airspace Review recommendation although it remains an initiative within AMP.

In view of the original intent of the recommendation, Airservices is seeking CASA's support for this delay, noting we remain committed to implementing this recommendation.

We will meet with you to ensure alignment on any airspace reform work underway, and to update you on the revised AMP plan, including proposed timelines for Class C tower services at Hobart.

Kind Regards,



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Hi **s22**

CASA support response letter attached.

Regards,



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AVIATION GROUP

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11 November 2020

Chief Safety & Risk Officer
Airservices Australia
By email:

Re: Hobert Class C Airspace

Dear \$22

Thank you for your request regarding a delay to airspace changes as recommended in the December 2019 Airspace Review of Hobart.

CASA has reviewed the request and supports a delay for the changes. Rather than leave the timeline open, CASA recommends that the airspace change proposal should be submitted by the end of 2023.

CASA looks forward to a meeting regarding the Airservices Airspace Modernisation Plan (AMP) and associated timelines.

Yours sincerely,

Air Navigation, Airspace and Aerodromes Branch National Operations and Standards Division

