

**Question on notice no. 106**

**Portfolio question number: 106**

**2020-21 Additional estimates**

**Rural and Regional Affairs and Transport Committee, Infrastructure,  
Transport, Regional Development and Communications Portfolio**

**Senator Anthony Chisholm:** asked the Airservices Australia on 22 March 2021—

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**Answer —**

Answer attached.

**Rural & Regional Affairs and Transport Legislation Committee**  
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE  
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**Division/Agency:** Airservices Australia  
**Topic:** Brisbane parallel runway airspace options  
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**Answer:**

Airservices considered: point merge; open standard instrument departure (SID); standard arrival route (STAR); and closed SID/STAR options as part of the system design phase for Brisbane New Parallel Runways.