

Heathrow's Airspace Change Update 28th April 2021



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Background

External Funding (DfT)

• "We are pleased to announce that we will be providing funding to enable FASI airspace change sponsors through a grant administrated by the CAA. This will enable sponsors to continue through Stage 2 of the airspace change process (ACP) known as CAP1616 as part of the government's commitment to supporting restart in the aviation sector and decarbonisation"

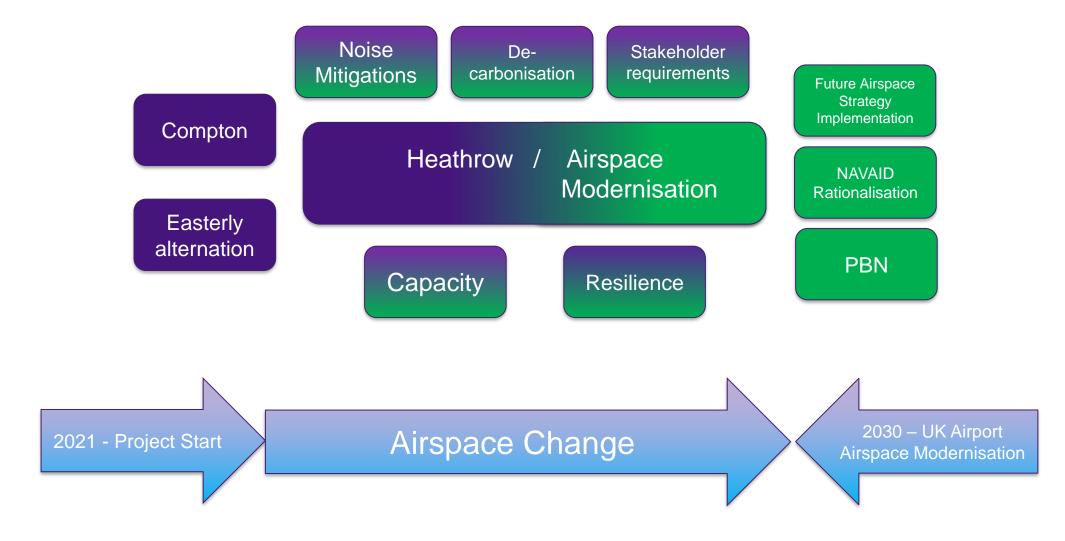
What does this mean for Heathrow?

- Due to the Expansion project pause and the COVID impact our airspace change programme was paused and put under review.
- Heathrow remains committed to Airspace Modernisation and the UK Future Airspace Strategy Implementation (FASI) programme.
- Heathrow is working with the DfT, CAA and ACOG to access the funding.
- Planning is currently underway to consider an Airspace Modernisation Airspace Change.
- Existing paused airspace changes will be considered in future plans.
- Our aim is to minimise the number of airspace changes to reduce uncertainty and confusion and complete in an efficient way (cost & resource).



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Review Considerations





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