

CROSS-PARTY GROUP REGISTRATION FORM

NAME OF CROSS-PARTY GROUP

Cross-Party Group on Aviation

PURPOSE OF THE GROUP AND PROPOSED DISCUSSION TOPICS

1. Please state the purpose of the Group.
2. Please also provide a brief explanation of the purpose of the Group and why the purpose is in the public interest.
3. Please also provide details of any overlaps with the purpose of existing Cross-Party Groups and an explanation of why, regardless of any such overlap, the Group should be established.
4. Please also provide an indication of the topics which the Group anticipates discussing in the forthcoming 12 months.

To provide a forum for discussion for Scotland's expanding and evolving aviation industry and all associated sectors with a view to encourage new domestic and international routes from Scotland's airports

Purpose – to help inform MSPs and stakeholders about issues affecting aviation in Scotland and the wider world, and to provide a dedicated talking space to allow discussion.

No overlaps

Future topics – general issues around aviation including Heathrow expansion, Air Passenger Duty, connectivity to regions, ground access and violence against air staff.

MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

Please provide names and party designation of all MSP members of the Group.

David Stewart MSP

John Scott MSP

Stewart Stevenson MSP

Tavish Scott MSP

Pauline McNeill MSP

George Adam MSP

NON-MSP MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

For organisational members please provide only the name of the organisation, it is not necessary to provide the name(s) of individuals who may represent the organisation at meetings of the Group.

Individuals	
Organisations	Edinburgh Airport Glasgow Airport Aberdeen Airport Prestwick Airport Highlands & Islands Airports Ltd easyJet Flybe British Airways Virgin Loganair Barrhead Travel Scottish Passenger Agents Association NATs Scottish Enterprise Scottish Chamber of Commerce Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce Visit Scotland NESTRANS HITRANS Scottish Council for Development and Industry (SCDI) British Air Transport Association

GROUP OFFICE BEARERS

Please provide names for all office bearers. The minimum requirement is that two of the office bearers are MSPs and one of these is Convener – beyond this it is a matter for the Group to decide upon the office bearers it wishes to have. It is permissible to have more than one individual elected to each office, for example, co-conveners or multiple deputy conveners.

Convener	David Stewart MSP, John Scott MSP, Stewart Stevenson MSP, Tavish Scott MSP
Deputy Convener	
Secretary	Edinburgh Airport
Treasurer	Edinburgh Airport

FINANCIAL BENEFITS OR OTHER BENEFITS

Please provide details of any financial or material benefit(s) the Group anticipates receiving from a single source in a calendar year which has a value, either singly

or cumulatively, of more than £500. This includes donations, gifts, hospitality or visits and material assistance such as secretariat support.

Support provided by Edinburgh Airport less than £500 per annum

SUBSCRIPTION CHARGED BY THE GROUP

Please provide details of the amount to be charged and the purpose for which the subscription is intended to be used.

n/a

CONVENER CONTACT DETAILS

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STATEMENT ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE CODE OF CONDUCT

I declare that the Cross-Party Group on Aviation is constituted and will comply with the terms of Section 6 of the Code of Conduct for Members of the Scottish Parliament.

Signed	David Stewart MSP
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Date	27/10/2016
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