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Order No. 14/2019-20

AERA Building, Administrative Complex, Safdarjung Airport, New Delhi – 110003

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In the matter of Order No. 28/2019-20 dated 26.02.2020 regarding Economic Regulation of Aeronautical Services provided by Airport Operators - Interim arrangement to continue the levy of existing tariffs beyond 30.06.2020 for the First Control Period.

This is regarding interim arrangement of levy of tariff for the period beyond 30.06.2020 of the First Control Period in respect of AAI managed Airports as mentioned in the table below:

Airport Operator:

Sl. No.	Name of Service Provider	Service Render	Airport
1.	Airports Authority of India	Airport Operator	Mangalore (First control period)
			Amritsar (First control period)
	3-11.1C	.311.10.3	Varanasi (First control period)

- 2. Out of the above mentioned three airports, the determination of aeronautical tariff by the Authority in respect of Amritsar & Varanasi airports for the 1st Control Period is already in process and Consultation Paper No. 05/2020-21 & No. 06/2020-21 both dated 01.06.2020, has been issued and the last date of submission of written comments is 29.06.2020. As the tariff determination process is likely to take some time, the Authority has decided that the tariff applicable as on 30.06.2020 may be further extended for a period of three months w.e.f. 01.07.2020 to 30.09.2020 or till the determination of tariffs for the First Control Period, whichever is earlier, as an interim arrangement to avoid any regulatory vacuum.
- 3. The Authority decided to similarly extend the tariff applicable as on 30.06.2020 at Mangalore Airport also for a further period of 03 (three) months w.e.f. 01.07.2020 to 30.09.2020 or till the determination of tariffs for the First Control Period, whichever is earlier, as an interim arrangement to avoid any regulatory vacuum.

ORDER

In view of the above, to avoid any regulatory vacuum in respect of the tariffs being levied by the regulated entities, the Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by Section 13(1) of the Airport Economic Regulatory Authority of India Act, 2008 hereby orders that:-

- (i) The Airport Operator, Airports Authority of India in respect of Mangalore, Amritsar & Varanasi Airports, is allowed to continue the levy of existing tariff applicable as on 30.06.2020, on interim basis, for a further period of 03 (three) months w.e.f. 01.07.2020 to 30.09.2020 or till the determination of tariffs for the First Control Period, whichever is earlier.
- (ii) The Airport Operator may ensure compliance of the Order.

By the Order of and in the Name of the Authority

(Ram Krishan) Director (P & S)

To,

Shri Arvind Singh, IAS, Chairman, Airports Authority of India, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan, New Delhi.

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