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The Director (P&S),
Airports Economic Regulatory Authority of India (AERA),
AERA Administrative Complex,
Safdarjung Airport,
New Delhi - 110 002.

Sub: Kanara Chamber of Commerce & Industry (KCCI) response to Consultation Paper No. 7/2022-23 dated 5th August 2022 in the matter of determination of aeronautical tariff for Mangaluru International Airport Limited for the First Control Period (01.04.2021-31.03.2026)

Dear Sir / Madam,

We are representative body of business, trade and industry of Dakshina Kannada, are on a committed mission of making Dakshina Kannada a favorable destination for investment and economic growth by Quality, Partnering, Empowering the Business, Global Recognition.

Mangaluru International Airport Limited (MIAL) is a vital infrastructure for business growth, medical tourism, and education sector. We are aware that now the Airport is operated by a private Airport Operator led by Adani Group. We are confident to expect remarkable improvement in this important and strategic infrastructure.

We appreciate that the Authority has done detailed analysis of the Airport development proposal, which is first time for Mangaluru Airport. With this background, we had attended the stakeholders' consultation meeting on 22nd August, 2022 and had mentioned some of our observations to the Authority. As desired during the meeting, we are submitting our written comments on the subject as follows:-

1. Vehicle access roadway and allied works

We have witnessed traffic congestion at the arrivals and departure area of the Airport. The traffic is unmanageable and could lead to serious accidents. We are delighted that MIAL has recognized this problem and has proactively proposed to revamp the traffic circulation in the Airport forecourt. We fully support the vision and plan for MIAL.

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We hereby request AERA to endorse MIAL's proposal to take up this important project and help in debottlenecking the concern areas.

2. Sustainability projects proposed like Rainwater Harvesting, Water Storage etc.

We are a responsible industry body and always add our voice to the project related to sustainability and conservation of mother nature.

Mangaluru Airport is table-top Airport with limited avenues for water supply. MIAL has proposed projects like Rainwater Harvesting, Water Storage etc. We appreciate the action proposed by MIAL. We request AERA to kindly allow the proposal without any restrictions.

We will be pleased to submit further information / clarification to the Authority if required.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

For KANARA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

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