

COUNCIL MEETING

21st March 2011

PUBLIC WRITTEN QUESTION

1) Question for written reply from Mr Barry Hall

Since the extra 683 Olympics flights, as forecast by BHAL in the Government Report, were based on the existing Lease-permitted Operating Hours, will the Council confirm that the Airport is already able to participate in this Olympics-forecast air traffic fully within the Lease-Permitted Operating Hours?

Reply:

The fact that BHAL have the capacity to operate additional flights within their existing hours is made in the report to the Executive for this meeting. The Council does not however know if the restriction on hours at the beginning and end of each day may affect the ability of the airport to host long distance flights.

2) Question for written reply from Mr Douglas Pope, Chairman Farnborough Park Estate Ltd.

As confirmed by Government to a local resident and subsequently notified to all 60 Bromley Councillors, when considering the Airports Olympic Proposals will the Council now take fully into account the fact that the Governmental Report by Atkins neither assumed nor considered any extension of existing operating hours at the Airport?

Reply:

The Council is considering the request made by its lessee to amend the lease: it is not bound by any considerations in the Atkins report.