This document has been developed to provide an overview of the approach that daa has taken to developing noise measures to support the Application along with a high level summary of the selected noise measures.

**Section 0: Introduction**

**Section 1: An overview of the overall framework for managing noise** including the relationship between the components of the Environmental Impact Assessment, the application of the ICAO Balanced Approach and the associated processes of EU598/2014 including cost-effectiveness analysis and daa’s noise goals.

**Section 2: ICAO Balanced Approach** Summarises how the measures associated with each of the aspects of the ICAO Balanced Approach contributes to meeting the Noise Abatement Objective and the Noise Goals.

**Section 3:** Summarises the noise monitoring framework that brings performance of all the measures together.

**Section 4:** Summarises all of the noise measures included in the assessment of effects including those already in place, those already planned as part of the existing noise action plan and the proposed new measures.

**Section 5:** Considers the impacts beyond 2025 under two scenarios - the first associated with the continuation of the existing 32million passengers per annum cap in place beyond 2025; the second considers growth with this cap removed beyond 2025.

**Section 6:** Summarises the proposed new measures and the application.

Detailed assessment and analysis of the proposed noise measures can be found in the following documents:

- Dublin Airport North Runway Relevant Action Application – Revised Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR), prepared by AECOM. September 2021
- Dublin Airport Operating Restrictions, Quantification of Impacts on Future Growth, Updated analysis in response to the ANCA RFI, Mott MacDonald, June 2021
0: Introduction

• Following grant of North Runway Planning Permission in 2007, Dublin Airport experienced strong sustained growth, with the current runway system at capacity during peak times in 2018 and 2019.

• The geographical location of Dublin Airport and the 1hr time difference between it and mainland Europe, means that flights need to leave Dublin before 7am to arrive at their destination for the start of the working day.

• In 2019, driven by short haul services operated by aircraft based at Dublin Airport, demand for night flights (23:00-07:00) was over 100/night, with 113/night associated with regularly scheduled services on a typical busy Summer day (aligns with the 92-day summer referenced in North Runway Condition 5).

• In December 2020 daa submitted a planning application to Fingal County Council (FCC) to modify planning conditions contained in the North Parallel Runway Planning Permission (FCC Reg. Ref.: F04A/1755; ABP Ref: PL06.217429) that restrict use of the airport at night once North Runway becomes operational.

• The Application seeks to amend and replace Condition 3(d) that restricts the use of the North Runway between 23:00 and 07:00; and Condition 5 that restricts the average number of night-time aircraft movements at the airport overall to 65 movement/night once the North Runway becomes operational.

• In addition to already planned measures (outlined in the Dublin Airport Noise Plan 2018-23) and noise measures already required under the parent planning permission, daa proposed a package of mitigation measures consistent with the ICAO Balanced Approach including:
  - A preferential runway use scheme for night-time runway operations (amendment to Condition 3(d));
  - An Annual Night Quota (ANQ) (replace Condition 5);
  - a Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme for those dwellings where there is potential for significant adverse effect arising from the proposed changes (additional to Condition 7).
  - A comprehensive noise performance monitoring framework consistent with Aircraft Noise Regulations 2019 (additional to Condition 10.

• These measures were assessed in accordance with EU598 and considered to enable cost-effective compliance with a candidate Noise Abatement Objective (cNAO) proposed by daa, and daa’s key noise goals.

• Across 2020-21, with the Covid-19 Pandemic and as per all other international airports, Dublin Airport saw a significant drop in air traffic movements and passenger numbers. Sustained growth is expected to return post pandemic.

• Since the December 2020 application, forecasts for post-pandemic recovery have been revised. To sustain the airport’s recovery, Mott McDonald, on behalf of daa, forecast that air traffic will rise to 116/night in the ‘busy day’ when the airport returns to 32m annual passenger traffic levels ~ 2025.

• The operating restrictions introduced by Conditions 3(d) and 5 will have a significant impact on short haul services operated by aircraft based at Dublin airport. The reassessed impact of these restrictions is a loss of around 1.6m passengers per year and a cumulative loss of 6.3 million passengers over the 4-year period 2022-25.

• daa’s proposed package of measures will facilitate recovery whilst managing impacts of associated growth such that the overall effects of noise will remain better than 2018 into the future.

• Following review of the December 2020 Application, FCC and the Airport Noise Competent Authority (ANCA) issued a Request for Information (RFI) which, amongst other things, sought clarification on the noise management measures.

• Based on the revised forecasts and the ANCA RFI, a revised Environmental Impact Assessment and Cost Effectiveness Analysis have been undertaken. This document presents a summary of the outcome of these assessments with the revised forecasts and provides a summary overview of the package of measures.
Section 1: Overall framework

An overview of the overall framework and the relationship between the components of the Environmental Impact Assessment, the application of the ICAO Balanced Approach and the associated processes of EU598/2014 including cost-effectiveness analysis and daa’s noise goals.
daa overall approach to developing new noise measures. Proposed noise measures based on the ICAO Balanced Approach – evaluated consistent with the requirements of EU598/2014 to meet a candidate NAO and daa noise goals. Selected new measures are take forward into the EIAR.
EU Regulation 598/2014 Process Summary Findings

The proposed package of measures is a more cost-effective mechanism for managing the impacts of noise compared with the permitted operation.

**Candidate NAO developed:** “To limit and reduce the adverse effects of long-term exposure to aircraft noise, including health and quality of life, so that long-term noise exposure, particularly at night, does not exceed the situation in 2018. This should be achieved through the application of the Balanced Approach.”

**Primary metrics are** Highly-Annnoyed and Highly Sleep Disturbed (HSD) populations.

**32 MPPA forecast year (2025).**
- North Runway with no restrictions and fully mixed-mode runway use.
- Includes 19 existing and previously planned noise reduction measures (inc fleet modernisation)

**Operating Procedures:**
- 14 potential additional noise reduction measure categories were considered.
- 8 preferential runway use measures proceeded forward for further analysis.

**Land Use Planning**
- Additional sound insulation measure proceeded forward for further analysis.

**Noise impacts modelled for the Forecast Conditions without New Measures scenario.
- Noise impacts modelled for 8 preferential runway use scenarios.
- Noise impact reduction evaluated for 55 dB L_{night} Residential sound Insulation Grant Scheme (RSIGS).
- Quantify effectiveness of each measure.

**Annual Night Quota (ANQ) measure proposed to promote adoption of quieter aircraft at night and manage effects.
- Runway Procedure Scenario 2 (extend Option 7B to night shoulder hours, preferential runway use); and 55dB L_{night} RSIGS identified as most effective set of measures.

**Quantify costs of effective measures.
- Preferred additional measures:**
  - Scenario 2 preferential runway use;
  - 55dB L_{night} RSIGS;
  - ANQ 7,990 23:30 to 06:00.

For further details description and analysis of this process see:

Dublin Airport Development of Proposed Noise Measures
The proposed measures are more cost-effective for managing the impacts of noise consistent with the cNAO and daa noise goals than the permitted operation.
Together with the proposed Noise Monitoring Framework the proposed package of measures will manage impacts of recovery such that the overall effects of noise will remain better than 2018 into the future.

- The proposed new measures are held together by the proposed NAO Monitoring Framework (NMF). They are a package of cost-effective developed to operate together – no one measure is developed to reduce effects alone.
- The proposals for a NMF include the production and submission to ANCA of an Annual Performance Report consistent with s19 of the Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019 (further details of reporting proposals are presented in Section 3) and community noise monitoring and reporting. Compliance metrics are proposed.
- Where reported performance indicates concerns with respect to the NAO, appropriate modifications and actions would be considered through consultation between ANCA and daa consistent with the Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019.
- It is noted that the cNAO upon which the analysis was based may not be the final NAO. Each of the elements of the ICAO Balanced Approach are summarised in Section 2.
**Section 2: ICAO Balanced Approach**

The following sections provide an overview of the new noise measures proposed for each of the aspects of the ICAO Balanced Approach.

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Once in service, an aircraft may have a life of around 20-25 in commercial operation. Consequently, an aircraft type may have an active service life of around 50 years. The 2010s marked the start of G2 aircraft entering service (with aircraft like the 787 and the A320neo) – increased adoption is expected across the 2020s (see figure to the right).

Fleet modernisation is a significant investment for an airline. It happens over time and as economics allow, to introduce more efficient aircraft to meet business needs.

Source: Dublin Airport Operating Restrictions, Quantification of Impacts on Future Growth, Updated analysis in response to the ANCA RFI, Mott MacDonald, June 2021.
ICAQ Balanced Approach: Source Noise Reduction.
Forecast fleet modernisation and source noise reduction offsets effects of recovery growth.

Fleet Modernisation
The COVID-19 pandemic is having two types of impact on airline fleets. Firstly, some airlines are accelerating the retirement of older aircraft, which tend to be less fuel efficient and noisier; and secondly, some airlines are deferring the ordering and delivery of new aircraft types which tend to have better environmental performance.

Compared with pre-COVID-19 projections, there is likely to be a short-term improvement in average environmental performance of global airline fleets due to early retirement of older aircraft, but slower medium-term (next 5 years) improvement due to fewer G2 deliveries.

Based on analysis undertaken for daa by Mott MacDonald, the fleet operating at Dublin Airport is expected to comprise increasing proportions of G2 aircraft (figure to the right). By 2025 it is expected that 20-25% would be G2 (driven by early-retirement and life-expired aircraft types). The bulk of the modernisation is expected to occur after 2025, increasing the G2 share to ~70% by 2030.

Noise reduction with G2 Replacements
The table to the right presents some examples of G1 aircraft and their replacement G2 aircraft with their respective QC values. It is noted that all the G2 replacements are known aircraft types and the respective arrival and departures QC values are reduced compared to the G1 equivalent.

As a result of the forecast fleet modernisation and source noise reductions for G2 aircraft, the annual QC/ATM between 2018 and 2025 across the period 11pm to 7am reduces from 0.52 to 0.48 (~8% reduction).

Typical Aircraft QC Values

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Source:
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### ICAO Balanced Approach

**New Noise Measures**
- **Source Noise Reduction**
  - Fleet noise reduction across the night-time period (QC/ATM).
- **Operating Procedures**
  - **Airspace design**: reduce overflown population. No change from airspace design process.
  - **Airport operation**: reduce overall effects. Propose to replace Condition 3d. Propose no use of NR 00:00 to 06:00; extend NR operation to include 23:00-00:00 & 06:00-07:00
- **Land Use Planning**
  - Proposed Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme: €20,000 Grant for sound insulation measures. Additional to existing NRIS. Eligibility:
    - a) \( \geq 55\text{dB } L_{\text{night}} \text{ 2025} \)
    - b) Very significant adverse effects (EIAR) \( \geq 50\text{dB} \) change \( \geq +9\text{dB} \).
- **Operating Restrictions**
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### Summary of feasible runway operating procedure measures considered

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For further details description and analysis of these options see:
**Preferred Night-time Runway Operation - Scenario 2 Summary**

**Option 7b and South Runway Only between 0000 and 0600**

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<td><strong>0000 to 0559:</strong></td>
<td>Runway 10L-28R shall not be used for take-off or landing except in cases of safety, maintenance considerations, exceptional air traffic conditions, adverse weather, technical faults in air traffic control systems or declared emergencies at other airports or where Runway 10L-28R length is required for a specific aircraft type.</td>
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Runway Operating Scenario 2

Overall effects of noise at night are predicted to be better than 2018 and will remain so into the future.

Night-noise Goal A was to ensure that, with the north runway operating at night (11pm-7am), the overall effects of noise as measured by the population exposed >40dB \( L_{\text{night}} \) and population highly sleep disturbed (HSD) will not exceed the overall noise effects of 2018 (applying consistent baseline population).

The figure presents the 40dB, 50dB and 55dB \( L_{\text{night}} \) contours for 2018 and 2025 for Scenario 2.

Analysis of the population and effects indicates that with Scenario 2 Runway Operating procedure:

- the population exposed to noise levels greater than 40dB \( L_{\text{night}} \) reduces by 10-15% when compared with 2018; and
- the number of people highly sleep disturbed reduces by 10-15% when scenario 2 is compared with 2018.

These improvements arise from a combination of fleet modernisation; the preferred NR airspace design; and the preferred runway operating scenario (scenario 2).

The population exposed to “high” noise levels increases compared to 2018. A Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme (RSIGS) has been proposed to reduce the potential for significant adverse effects associated with population exposed to noise levels >55dB.

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<td>307,460</td>
<td>755</td>
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<td>268,500</td>
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All population and effects statistics are based on existing population data, populations from consented developments are not included in the above analysis.

### 2.3 ICAO Balanced Approach: Land Use Planning.

#### Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme

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Land Use Planning. Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme.
Minimising the potential for significant adverse effects arising from Scenario 2.

• Consistent with the application of the ICAO Balanced Approach, daa is proposing a Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme (RSIGS) as part of the package of measures submitted in support of the planning application and associated EIA (Relevant Action) to amend Condition 3(d) and replace Condition 5 of the existing planning permission for the North Runway.

• The RSIGS will make available a grant of up to €20,000 for the installation of noise insulation measures for eligible dwellings.

• Dwellings are considered eligible if they meet either of the following noise related criteria:
  1. Dwellings forecast to be exposed to “high” night-time noise levels in 2025 - at least 55dB $L_{\text{night}}$.
  2. Dwellings with a “very significant” rating arising from forecast noise levels of at least 50dB $L_{\text{night}}$ in the first full year when the Relevant Action comes into operation, with a change of at least +9dB when compared with the current permitted operation in the same equivalent year.

• The North Runway Insulation Scheme (NRIS) from Condition 7 of the North Runway Planning Permission will continue to be in place.

• Properties that have received noise insulation measures through the existing HSIP scheme would not be eligible for the RSIGS. Upon operation of the Relevant Action the current HSIP scheme will come to an end - the NRIS and the RSIGS will form the noise insulation scheme offers for Dublin Airport.

• It is also proposed that dwellings approved for construction after the December 2020 Relevant Action Application that fall within any of the noise insulation areas would not be eligible for either scheme.

• Initial Criteria 1 eligibility for the grant scheme will be based on the 2025 $L_{\text{night}}$ forecast presented in the revised EIAR.

• Bi-annual, retrospective reviews that align with the reviews of the existing North Runway scheme are proposed. At each review, the actual historic contours will be compared with the forecast for 2025.

• Criteria 2 eligibility is based on forecasts for the first year of operation of the Relevant Action. For the purposes of the application and the assessment this has been assumed to be 2022. However, if that year is later than 2022, the +9dB area will be reviewed for the revised first year and adjusted accordingly. It is proposed that the area of eligibility will be reviewed in the year after the Relevant Action comes into operation by comparing the actual +9dB change area with that included as part of the application and will be adjusted accordingly. As this area is only applicable to the change in the first year, this review will happen once.

• Final details of the scheme will be finalised and agreed with the Competent Authority in due course, but the approach will utilise the experiences gained on the existing insulation scheme in terms of products and specifications that would be recommended for installation.

• The following slides present the areas of eligibility for each of the criteria.

• Consistent with the Environmental Impact Assessment for the Relevant Action Planning Application all analysis is based on GeoDirectory data for 2019 Q2. It is recognised that there maybe some dwellings that have been built since that data was compiled. Prior to finalisation of the scheme details the eligible dwellings will be reviewed to ensure all that all those eligible are included.
Land Use Planning. Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme.
Minimising the potential for significant adverse effects arising from Scenario 2.

Dwellings are eligible for RSIGS if they are not eligible for insulation under the existing HSIP and RNIS schemes, and satisfy either of the following noise-based criteria:

- **Criteria 1:** Dwellings forecast to be exposed to “high” night-time noise levels in 2025 - at least 55dB L_{night} (dark blue contour line in figure); OR
- **Criteria 2:** Dwellings with a “very significant” rating arising from forecast noise levels of at least 50dB L_{night} and a change of at least +9dB in the first full year when the Relevant Action comes into operation when compared with the permitted operation in the same equivalent year (area indicated by blue hatched area in the figure).

Analysis indicates the following dimensions of the proposed RSIGS.

- **Criteria 1:** Approximately 335 dwellings in total are forecast to be exposed to noise levels greater than 55 dB L_{night}. Approximately 90 of these are already included as part of the RNIS (dark blue dots in the grey shaded area) and 63 as part of the HSIP (green contour and dots) which leaves approximately 180 dwellings eligible as a result of Criteria 1 only (bright blue dots).
- **Criteria 2:** Approximately 67 dwellings in total meet this criteria - located predominantly to the north-west of the airport (blue hatched area). Of these, approximately 13 are already included as part of the RNIS (overlap of grey and blue hatched area) and none included in the HSIP. This leaves approximately 54 dwellings in the area identified for RSIGS criteria 2.
Land Use Planning. Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme.

Consideration of Drumnigh

Of the dwellings eligible through Criteria 1, around 160 (88%) are in the Drumnigh area (indicated in the figure to the right). These dwellings are forecast to experience a change of 0-1 dB compared to 2018 - which could be considered as no change.

Most of these properties were constructed after the introduction of the Dublin Airport Noise Zones within the Fingal County Development Plans and Dublin Airport Local Area Plans. As such, their grant of planning permission by Fingal County Council would have included a condition for appropriate sound insulation. It can be reasonably assumed that these dwellings would therefore already be insulated to a high standard. It is also possible that residents of these dwellings are unlikely to want to consider disruption to, what are, new dwellings, for what is likely to be of minimal if any benefit.

Installation of new sound insulation measures would not give the same level of benefit to those properties compared to dwellings exposed to night-noise levels >55 dB which were built before the introduction of noise zones and FCC’s associated planning requirements.

ANCA may wish to consider eligibility of dwellings to the proposed scheme for newly developed areas within the Dublin Airport Noise Zones, such as Drumnigh, where a high standard of noise insulation would already have been required as part of planning approvals, and where little change is forecast compared to their planning application. This could provide an opportunity to focus grant scheme funding on properties which do not currently benefit from high standards of sound insulation.
# 2.4: ICAO Balanced Approach: Operating Restrictions

## Night Quota System

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<td><strong>New Noise Measures</strong></td>
<td>Fleet noise reduction across the night-time period (QC/ATM).</td>
<td>Airspace design: reduce overflown population. No change from airspace design process. <strong>Airport operation:</strong> reduce overall effects. Propose to replace Condition 3d. Propose no use of NR 00:00 to 06:00; extend NR operation to include 23:00-00:00 &amp; 06:00-07:00</td>
<td>Proposed Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme: &gt;=55dB $L_{night}$ 2025. Very significant adverse effects (EIAR) &gt;=50dB change &gt;=+9dB. Additional to existing NRIS.</td>
<td>Proposed Night Quota System: Annual Night Quota (ANQ) to provide certainty 23:30 to 06:00 (to replace Condition 5)</td>
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Overview of the Night Quota System and key considerations

- A **Night Quota System** is designed to limit the overall amount of noise produced by aircraft using an airport based on a Night Quota allowance for a given time period. daa proposals are based on the system currently in operation at the UK London Airports.

- A QC (Quota Count) value is assigned to each individual aircraft movement based on noise levels provided on the aircraft’s Noise Certificate. Current QC bands are 0.125, 0.25, 0.5, 1, 2, 4, 8 and 16 – a lower QC for aircraft with lower noise levels, higher QC for noisier aircraft. Aircraft have separate QC values for arrival and departure.

- The QC for each aircraft movement accumulates against an **Annual Noise Quota** across a chosen time period across the night (the **Night Quota Period**, NQP). The NQP in this proposal is defined as 23:30 - 06:00 which is consistent with airports operating similar QC based systems. This protects the periods of the night-time considered to be most sensitive to local communities, whilst balancing growth in the 06:00 to 07:00 period that is essential for the development of European short-haul connectivity (time difference constraints) and will accommodate the forecasted growth in the night period.

- daa consider that a movements-based constraint would not promote the use of quieter aircraft during the night consistent with achieving the effects-based outcomes of the cNAO. The use of Quota based approach incentivises airlines to continue to modernise. The overall 8h effects-based outcomes of the cNAO provide an inherent constraint on movements.

- EU598 considers an NQS measure to be an operating restriction. Analysis indicates that proposals for replacement of Condition 3d and 5 with Scenario 2 (and other measures) are sufficient for cNAO compliance and therefore, operating restriction measures are not necessary. However, daa is proposing an NQS to provide further assurances around the control of noise at night and to encourage the continued update of the fleet operating at Dublin Airport to comprise more, quieter aircraft (consistent with noise at source considerations as per the ICAO Balanced Approach).

- The proposals for a Night Quota System are for an **Annual Night Quota (ANQ)** of 7,990 applied to a **6.5h Night Quota Period** (23:30 to 06:00). Draft implementation proposals are provided and are based on those in place currently at Stansted Airport. These will be finalised in advance of the ANQ coming into place should the Relevant Action application be granted permission.

- An **Annual Night Quota (ANQ)** is proposed for a **6.5h Night Quota Period** (NOP) of 23:30 to 06:00. This period has been selected to be consistent with airports operating similar QC based systems. This protects the periods of the night-time considered to be most sensitive to local communities, whilst balancing growth in the 06:00 to 07:00 period that is essential for the development of European short-haul connectivity (time difference constraints) and will accommodate the forecasted growth in the night period.

- At this time, given the need to enable recovery post-pandemic and the uncertainties inherent in forecasting, **reductions in ANQ are not proposed**. Future ANQ reductions could be considered in line with reviews above.

- For detailed analysis and presentation of the Night Quota System Proposals please see:
Proposed 4 step process for calculating the Annual Night Quota

1. Determine Typical aircraft QC values
   - QC values of aircraft types operating at Dublin Airport have been determined.
   - Future aircraft types to 2025 are all known currently.
   - Process for allocating QC values to aircraft types, for both historic and forecast, is based on a lookup table with one set of QC values associated with each aircraft type derived from the existing system in use at the UK London Airports.
   - See Annex B for QC values for each aircraft type.

2. Calculate NQP QC Total & QC/ATM
   - Using QC values from step 1, Total QC and QC/ATM Estimated for each year.
   - Historic Actual: 2018, 2019
   - Forecast years: 2022-2025
   - Note: Actuals contain flights not scheduled to operate during the NQP (e.g., late departures/arrivals and early arrivals and unscheduled ATMs). The forecast does not include such flights and assumes on-time operation.

3. Determine QC/ATM Target value
   - The objective is to deliver a reduction of average fleet noise per movement (QC/ATM) in 2025 compared to 2018.
   - In 2025, target QC/ATM to be <2018 and no greater than 2022.
   - Derive the mid-value of QC/ATM between 2018 and 2025.
   - Note: The process for developing the ANQ used the mid-point of the difference in QC/ATM between 2018 and 2025. A reference year of 2018 was selected to align with the cNAO. The basis of the proposed NQS is to promote use of quieter aircraft during the night. By targeting a reduction of QC/ATM, airlines are encouraged to use quieter aircraft by enabling additional movement (within the context of other planning constraints).
     - If the targeted reduction QC/ATM is not achieved, then there is an inherent limit placed on the number of movements. As the target QC/ATM reduces over time (across a review period to be defined) further control is added.

4. Annual Night Quota (ANQ) 2022-2025
   - Apply the target QC/ATM, derived from step 3, to the total number of ATMs forecast in 2025 to determine an Annual Night Quota to be used for the period 2022-2025 for scheduled ATMs.
   - Note: The ANQ derived at this stage would only apply to forecast scheduled and non-scheduled ATMs. Additional consideration will be required for late operations in the NQP (flights scheduled before 23:30 but have been found on-occasion to operate after 23:30). A tolerance is needed to allow for uncertainty inherent in forecasts.
The calculations for the proposed ANQ using the proposed 4 step process are based on the forecasts used for the December 2020 Application and are unchanged with revised forecasts.

**Proposed Annual Night Quota for 6.5h Night Quota Period = 7,990**

The objective is to deliver a reduction of average fleet noise per movement (QC/ATM) in 2025 compared to 2018.

- In 2025, QC/ATM to be <2018 and no greater than 2022.
- Derive the mid-value of QC/ATM between 2018 and 2025. Must be no greater than 2022.

The forecast schedules and assigned QC values for each movement are provided in the ANCA Reporting Template.

**Note:** Analysis of the historic QC/ATM suggests that 2018 had the lowest QC/ATM in the period 2016-19. According to the defined process for generating target QC/ATM this would serve to lower the target QC/ATM for 2025 and so reduce the proposed ANQ compared with if 2019 had been used. (see later)
6.5h Night Quota Period Annual Night Quota – Movements and QC

Relevant Action (32 million passengers cap in place beyond 2025)

### Actuals vs. Forecast

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Dublin Airport Development of Proposed Noise Measures
Section 3: Noise Performance Reporting

Noise performance will be reported annually alongside other areas of NAO reporting consistent with the requirements of s19 Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019.
Together with the proposed Noise Monitoring Framework the proposed package of measures will manage impacts of recovery such that the overall effects of noise will remain better than 2018 into the future.

- The proposed new measures are held together by the proposed NAO Monitoring Framework (NMF). They are a package of cost-effective developed to operate together – no one measure is developed to reduce effects alone.
- The proposals for a NMF include the production and submission to ANCA of an Annual Performance Report consistent with s19 of the Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019 (further details of reporting proposals are presented in Section 3) and community noise monitoring and reporting. Compliance metrics are proposed.
- Where reported performance indicates concerns with respect to the NAO, appropriate modifications and actions would be considered through consultation between ANCA and daa consistent with the Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019.
- It is noted that the cNAO upon which the analysis was based may not be the final NAO. Changes to the NAO from the cNAO proposed by daa could require a different set of measures and subsequent re-evaluation of those measures consistent with EU598.
Noise Monitoring and Reporting Framework

- **Monitoring and Reporting**
  The following will be reported:
  
  - **Effects of aircraft noise:**
    - The number of people highly annoyed and highly sleep disturbed. Consistent with EU Directive 2020/367 and reported for the previous calendar year and forecast 2025.
  
  - **Aircraft noise exposure:**
    - Aircraft noise contours and associated area, population and dwellings (and other noise sensitive properties). In 5 dB bands, from 45 dB to 75 dB L_{den} and 40dB to 70 dB L_{night}. For the previous calendar year and forecast 2025.
  
  - **Aircraft Source Noise Measures:**
    - Night Quota System - the number of ATMs and QC will be reported for the previous year, the next year NQP and out to an agreed forecast year, with a break down for each of the QC bands and the QC/ATM.
    - The same information will be reported for the full Night Period.
  
  - **Operational Measures**
    - For the previous year calendar year, the number of arriving and departing aircraft and their associated QC totals using each runway during the periods 23:00-00:00, 00:00-06:00 and 06:00-06:59.
    - This will be averaged to indicate “per night” equivalent values. This will also be provided for a monthly breakdown.
  
  - **Noise Insulation Scheme Reporting.**
    - The number of dwellings eligible and total grants administered under night noise insulation scheme to be reported each year.
  
  - **Community Noise Reporting (in addition to Condition10)**
    - Noise reports will be developed working with ANCA and the local communities to present an overall picture of the airport’s operation and effects which could include the information above.
    - In consultation with ANCA and local communities daa will develop a community noise monitoring programme to report specific noise related outcomes from the airport operation.
    - daa in collaboration from IAA will make available noise and flight track information to the local community.
    - The number and nature of noise complainants will be reported monthly and annually.

- **Night Quota System Performance Reporting**
  - Specific ANQ performance be monitored and reported annually.
  - This would include reporting the actual use of the ANQ for the previous year and forecasts for future years to 2025 (or other forecast year to be agreed) and would be split by seasons (summer and winter).

- **NAO Performance Reporting**
  The following metrics are proposed for consideration of performance with respect to the NAO for the previous year and 2025 with respect to effects and exposure:
  
  - The overall number of people exposed to noise >= 55dB L_{den} compared with the equivalent value for 2018
  - The overall number of people considered highly annoyed compared with the equivalent value for 2018
  - The overall number of people exposed to noise >=40dB L_{night} compared with the equivalent value for 2018.
  - The overall number of people considered highly sleep disturbed compared with the equivalent value for 2018.
  - The Area of the contour outlining those exposed to significant levels of noise at night (>55dB L_{night}).

Where NAO performance reporting raises concerns about compliance with the NAO these would be discussed and considered in consultation between ANCA and daa consistent with the ICAO Balanced Approach, EU 598 and the Aircraft Noise (Dublin Airport) Regulations 2019.

**Notes:**

- NQP – the proposed Night Quota Period - 6.5h, 23:30-05:59
- Population analysis: Where there is a comparison of population or effects with the equivalent for 2018, the population dataset used for deriving 2018 figures will be used consistently for all calculation years.
Section 4: All noise measures

All noise measures whether already in place, already planned under existing Noise Action Plan or new arising from this Application are presented in tabular form.
### Noise Measures. ICAO Balanced Approach: Noise at Source and Operating Procedures

#### Noise Abatement (NA) Operating Procedures

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<td>NA-1</td>
<td>Promote quieter aircraft through incentives such as FlyQuiet programmes. This programme is expected to be in place by 2022.</td>
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<td>NA-2</td>
<td>Work with airline partners to introduce quieter aircraft, particularly at night, including consideration of incentives. Approaches to incentives under development and expected to be in place by 2022.</td>
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**Dublin Airport Development of Proposed Noise Measures**

**Noise Abatement (NA) Operating Procedures**

- **2-Runway Noise Abatement Programs**: Aim to implement noise abatement programs to reduce noise at source and during operations. These programs are designed to minimize noise impact on local communities and environment.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.
- **Noise Abatement Techniques**: Techniques such as noise abatement procedures, flight path modifications, and aircraft noise management strategies are implemented to reduce noise impact.

**Examples of Noise Abatement Measures**

- **Runway Preference**: The use of specific runways to reduce noise levels near sensitive areas.
- **Flight Path Modifications**: Adjusting flight paths to minimize noise exposure to residential areas.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Continuous Descent Approach (CDA)**: A technique that reduces noise experienced on the ground by reducing the overall thrust required during the aircraft descent.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Continuous Climb Operations**: Operations that reduce noise levels by implementing minimum climb profiles and reducing the noise exposure on the ground caused by thrust levels required to keep aircraft on course.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Reverse Thrust**: The use of reverse thrust to decelerate the aircraft on landing, reducing noise levels on the runway.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Engine Ground Running**: The use of engine ground running to reduce noise levels on the ground.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Monitor and Report**: The monitoring of noise abatement procedures through monitoring systems.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **3-Runway Noise Abatement Programs**: Programs that implement noise abatement strategies on multiple runways to reduce noise impact on the surrounding areas.
- **Noise Abatement Procedures (NAP)**: A set of procedures and guidelines designed to minimize noise impact during aircraft operations. These procedures are applied at the airport to reduce noise levels for both passengers and local communities.

**Noise Abatement Techniques**

- **Runway Noise Abatement Programs**: Programs that implement noise abatement strategies on multiple runways to reduce noise impact on the surrounding areas.
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## Noise Measures. ICAO Balanced Approach: Land use planning, Operating Restrictions and Monitoring

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<td>LU-1</td>
<td><strong>Land Use Compatibility Management Framework</strong> - The land use and planning frameworks include the Fingal County Council’s (FCC’s) County Development Plan 2017–2023 (Variation No. 1) and the Dublin Airport 2030 Local Area Plan (LAP), which defines four airport noise zones and the associated objective of each zone along with an indication of the potential noise exposure from movements at Dublin Airport. The zones are based on potential noise exposure levels (L_{10}, L_{50}, and L_{90}, levels) due to the airport using either the new northern or existing southern runway for arrivals or departures. The noise zoning system has been developed with the overarching objective to balance the potential impact of aircraft noise from the Airport on both external and internal noise sources. This allows larger development which may be brought forward in the vicinity of the Airport’s flight paths to be identified and considered as part of the planning process. The focus of the noise zones is to ensure compatibility of residential development and ensuring compatibility with pertinent standards and guidance in relation to planning and noise.</td>
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<td><strong>Land Use Compatibility Management Review</strong> - Keep under review land-use policies in relation to aircraft noise through the review of existing land-use planning frameworks in so far as they relate to Dublin Airport.</td>
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<td><strong>Enforcement Management</strong> - Monitor noise enforcement associated with Dublin Airport to ensure airport noise policy is appropriately informed through land-use planning frameworks in so far as they relate to Dublin Airport.</td>
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<td><strong>Sound Insulation (H100)</strong> - Voluntary to households that qualify by being located within the 2016 63 dB L_{10} limit contour.</td>
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<td><strong>Sound Insulation (H100)</strong> - Voluntary to households that qualify by being located within the 2022 63 dB L_{10} limit contour. All properties to be completed by the time North Runway is operational.</td>
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<td><strong>Vacant Dwelling Purchase Scheme</strong> - Approved in 2016, this measure provides voluntary acquisition of eligible dwellings. Eligibility for the scheme is based on the predicted 60 dB L_{10} limit contour. This is the noise threshold for participation in the voluntary scheme. The scheme is voluntary and places no obligation on any resident to participate. Offers to purchase will include a 30 percent premium on the current market value of the residence. Property values will be based on current movements at Dublin Airport and accordingly valuations will not be affected by the new runway. The scheme will remain available for three years after North Runway is operational (2025).</td>
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<td><strong>Vacant School Sound Insulation</strong> - voluntary noise insulation of schools for all schools and schools in the vicinity of the proposed new runway will be undertaken by the Department of Education and Skills. The scheme is designed to ensure that maximum noise levels within the classrooms and school buildings generally shall not exceed 65 dB L_{10} in a typical school day.</td>
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<td><strong>Night-time Sound Insulation Grant Programme</strong> - A grant programme for households that qualify by being located in areas with forecast noise exposure greater than 55 dB L_{10} during the night.</td>
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### Operating Restrictions (OR)

| OR-1       | Crosswind runway (15°-34°) shall be restricted to essential operational use on completion of the new runway in accordance with Objective 0.01 of the Fingal County Development Plan, 2005-2011. "Essential use" shall be interpreted as use when required by international regulations for safety reasons. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| OR-2       | Runway 10L/28R “No Use” Limit: This measure is intended to ensure that noise levels forecast to occur in 2025 meet the criteria for 10L/28R shall not be used for take-off or landing between 00:00 hours and 05:59 hours (except in cases of safety, maintenance inspections, exceptional air traffic control, adverse weather, technical faults in air traffic control systems or declared emergencies at other airports or where runway 10R/28L length is required for a specified aircraft type). Due to historic and forecast low demand, this restriction is not expected to impact Dublin Airport capacity and efficiency, the European aviation system and the economy. | x | x | ✓ | ✓ |
| OR-3       | GQ Quota: This measure is intended to ensure that noise levels forecast to occur in 2025 meet the criteria for 10L/28R shall not be used for take-off or landing between 00:00 hours and 05:59 hours. GQ Quota Periods are applied for each year from the opening of North Runway to 2025. | x | x | x | ✓ |

### Monitoring and Community Engagement (CE)

| CE-1       | **Stakeholder Engagement** - Participation in regular meetings with the Dublin Airport Environment Working Group (DAEWG) and Community Liaison Group (CLG). | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| CE-2       | **Community Engagement Programme** - Includes newsletters and various programmes that support the local community in the form of initiatives and funds. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| CE-3       | **Noise and Flight Track Monitoring System** - Ensures the analysis of aircraft movements to assess whether they are operating within defined corridors. The primary objective of the Noise and Flight Track Monitoring System is to gather information on aircraft approach and departure routes and resultant noise levels at selected locations. This information is used by DCC to respond to any complaints relating to aircraft noise. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| CE-4       | **Noise Complaint Management System** - Process and respond to all noise-related complaints in a timely manner. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| CE-5       | **Relevant Action Noise Reporting Framework** - noise reporting associated with compliance with NAO and measures proposed. | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

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**Dublin Airport Development of Proposed Noise Measures**
Section 5: 2025 to 2035

The Application is based on impacts assessed to 2025 with a 32 million passenger cap in place. Daa has also considered forecasts for 2030 and 2035 both with and without the 32mppa cap remaining in place beyond 2025. In these scenarios everything is the same to 2025. Beyond 2025 the only difference is whether the cap is in place or not.
Scenario 2. 2025 and beyond. 32mppa cap remains. The overall effects of noise remain better than 2018 into the future.

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Scenario 2. 32mppa cap no longer in place beyond 2025. The overall effects of noise remain better than 2018 into the future.

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Section 6: Summary
Summary of proposed noise measures

A cost-effective package of measures to replace or amend existing planning conditions that ensure the overall effects of aircraft at night are less than 2018 into the future.

- A planning application has been submitted to Fingal County Council (FCC) to modify planning conditions contained in the North Parallel Runway Planning Permission that restrict use of the airport at night once North Runway becomes operational.
- The Application seeks to amend Condition 3(d) that restricts the use of the North Runway between 23:00 and 07:00; and replace Condition 5 that restricts the average number of night-time aircraft movements at the airport overall to 65 movement/night once the North Runway becomes operational.
- In addition to already planned measures (outlined in the Dublin Airport Noise Plan 2018-23) and noise measures already required under the parent planning permission, daa proposed a package of mitigation measures consistent with the ICAO Balanced Approach including:
  - A preferential runway use scheme for night-time runway operations (amendment to Condition 3(d));
  - An Annual Night Quota (ANQ) (replace Condition 5);
  - a Residential Sound Insulation Grant Scheme for those dwellings where there is potential for significant adverse effect arising from the proposed changes (additional to Condition 7).
  - A comprehensive noise performance monitoring framework consistent with Aircraft Noise Regulations 2019 (additional to Condition 10).
- Together these measures ensure that the overall effects of aircraft noise at night will remain less than those for 2018 into the future and that the potential for significant adverse effects as a result of the application have been minimised.