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# Order No. 22/2020-21

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

# Date of Issue: 06th October, 2021

In the matter of interim arrangement to levy the existing tariffs in respect of the International Airports of Jaipur (JIA), Trivandrum (TVM) and Guwahati (GAU)- Commencement of Commercial Operations by new Operator M/s Adani

AERA has determined the Aeronautical charges of the following Airports Authority of India (AAI) airports for their 2<sup>nd</sup> Control Period. The Authority also issued separate Tariff Order for additional landing charges in lieu of abolition of Fuel Throughput Charges (FTC) by Government of India (abolished w.e.f. 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020). The details are as given below:

#### **Table-I**

Sl. No.	Name of Airport & Airport Operator	<b>Details of Extant Tariff Orders</b> (for 2 <sup>nd</sup> Control Period)	
		For Aeronautical Charges (A)	For additional Landing Charges in lieu of abolition of FTC (B)
1.	AAI, Jaipur International Airport	Order No. 10/2017-18 dated 04.08.2017	Order No. 18/2020-21 dated 01.07.2020
2.	AAI, Trivandrum International Airport	Order No. 03/2017-18 dated 02.06.2017	Order No. 25/2020-21 dated 02.07.2020
3.	AAI, Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport, Guwahati	Order No. 38/2017-18 dated 16.02.2018	Order No. 20/2020-21 dated 01.07.2020

2. M/s Adani, vide their letters no. AJIAL/CO/AERA-IT/2021/1, ATIAL/CO/AERA-IT/2021/1 & AGIAL/CO/AERA-IT/2021/1 dated 27.08.2021, have submitted that they have been selected by the AAI for undertaking Operations, Management, and, Development, of the aforementioned three airports, for a period of 50 years. Further, the Authority ascertained that the Concession Agreements have been signed between the AAI and M/s Adani for all the above airports on 19.01.2021, and, as per the terms & conditions of the same, they shall commence commercial operations at the aforementioned airports from their respective Commercial Operations Date (COD). Also that their MoU with the Government of India has been signed on 25.08.2021 for all the above mentioned three airports.

3. M/s Adani, have also stated in their aforesaid letter that they will need some time to submit their Multi Year Tariff Proposal (MYTP) for the consideration of the Authority, and, has therefore, requested AERA to allow continuation of the existing aeronautical tariff from the date of COD till regular determination of tariff by AERA.



M/s Adani vide mail dated 27.09.2021 has conveyed the proposed COD as per table 4. below.

Table-II
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Sl. No.	Name of Airport	Commercial Operations Date (COD) by new Airport Operator M/s Adani
1.	Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport, Guwahati	October 08, 2021
2.	Jaipur International Airport, Jaipur	October 11, 2021
3.	Trivandrum International Airport, Thiruvananthapuram	October 14, 2021

AAI have also confirmed the aforesaid CODs by M/s Adani at their respective 5. airports vide mail dated 29/30.09.2021.

Since, M/s Adani is likely to assume the role of Airport Operator at the 6. aforementioned three airports and will start commercial operations with effect from the COD given above (ref. Table-II), the Authority, has decided to allow the new concessionaire to levy and collect the existing tariffs as per the Tariff Orders detailed at Table-I [(A) & (B)] above, at the respective airports, from their respective CODs till the period ending 31.03.2022, or, till regular determination of tariff for the 3rd Control Period, whichever is earlier.

## ORDER

In view of the above, the Authority, in exercise of powers conferred by Section 13(1) of the Airport Economic Regulatory Authority of India Act, 2008 hereby orders that:

- The new Airport Operator, M/s Adani is allowed to levy and collect the existing (i) Aeronautical Tariffs as per the Tariff Orders mentioned at Table-I [(A) & (B)] above, at the International Airports of Jaipur, Trivandrum and Guwahati from their respective CODs (ref. Table-II) till the period ending 31.03.2022, or, till regular determination of tariff for the 3rd Control Period, whichever is earlier.
- The Airport Operator shall submit MYTP for 3rd Control Period well in time as (ii) per the provisions of AERA Regulatory Guidelines and as per the timelines specified in the Concession Agreement with AAI.

By the Order of and in the Name of the Authority

(Col Manu Sooden)

Secretary

To,

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- Copy to: 1. Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation, Rajiv Gandhi Bhawan, Safdarjung Airport New Delhi-110003.
  - 2. Directorate General of Civil Aviation, for issue of AIC.



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