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Subject: Latest developments on Manston Airport Planning Application
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From Denis Booth

Dear Sir or Madam,

Not being good with IT, I'm hoping I've understood enough to be sending this to the correct place?

I've studied the latest documents as well as I can and just feel the need, as an interested party, to reiterate my vehement objection to this plan to overfly my town 10000 a year.

Ramsgate has slowly been 'refinding' herself as a tourist destination where people can base themselves whilst visiting the rest of East Kent. This has taken a couple of decades. No one, and I do mean NO ONE, will want to try to sleep in a hotel or eat in a seafront restaurant with heavy freight planes descending low overhead every few minutes.

The talk of jobs never mentions all those that will be lost as businesses close.

At least three primary schools lie under the flight path. All those children, already having disturbed sleep as the flights that left Africa etc land suiting the night, will now have to compete with overhead noise. I can't imagine teachers will want to stay and work in that environment either. Night workers, days workers trying to stay healthy but subjected to sleep deprivation.

WHO statistics show that living near a runway gives poor health outcomes. That in an area already struggling with health and social issues.

This airport can only succeed if the town dies. Then you have the take offs which will decimate Herne Bay in much the same way.

You must stop this in its tracks right now. This land should either go back to agricultural which it was pre WW1 or be developed for much needed housing.

Please end this plan for a 24/7 airport NOW.

Yours sincerely

Denis Booth