From: <u>Minster Parish Council Clerk</u>

To: Manston Airport

Cc: Minster Parish Council Councillors

Subject: Application by RiverOak Strategic Partners Limited ("the Applicant") seeking a change to The Manston

Airport Development Consent Order 2022 Order ("the application)

Date: 06 September 2023 11:13:23

Good Morning

Given that a vast majority area of Manston Airport falls within the Parish of Minster, Minster Parish Council wish to respond to this consultation on the following basis; the changes set forward present no material change to the plans for Manston Airport by Riveroak which Minster Parish Council continue to support. The application represents logical administrative changes for which Minster Parish Council fully supports. The first amendment relating to the security figure is simply an update to reflect the fact that the site was purchased by Riveroak on the last day of the DCO examination and the amount is no longer appropriate given that Stonehill Park have no longer an interest in the site and the second change seeks to clear up the current ambiguity about when Riveroak would exercise it powers after the end of the legal challenge process. Neither amendment impacts the overall plan for the Airport and Minster Parish Council continues to wish to see the Airport open as planned, providing much needed employment and economic growth into Thanet, asking the Secretary of State to agree the amendments is in the best interests of the people of Thanet.

Kind regards

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