



**The Hon Anthony Albanese MP**

Minister for Infrastructure and Transport  
Leader of the House

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Mr John Alexander MP  
Member for Bennelong  
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Dear Mr Alexander

I have a longstanding commitment to ensuring the community is properly consulted on the management of noise and other environmental impacts arising from operations at Sydney Airport.

I have constituted the Sydney Airport Community Forum (SACF) in order to facilitate community engagement with aviation authorities on Sydney Airport environmental issues. The SACF includes federal and state members, and local mayors whose jurisdictions are affected by aircraft noise. As such, I would like to invite you to become a member of SACF. I have attached the Terms of Reference for SACF, and members' contact details for your information.

In order for SACF to be effective it is important that there is continuity of representation at the meetings. However, I understand that you may need to nominate a regular representative in anticipation of potential future time constraints and it would be helpful if you could include the details of this nominee in your response. I would appreciate it if you would send advice on your acceptance of the offer of membership to the SACF Secretariat at: PO Box 594, Canberra, ACT, 2601 or by email to <[sacf@infrastructure.gov.au](mailto:sacf@infrastructure.gov.au)> by 8 October 2010.

I look forward to your response.

Yours sincerely

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