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Proposed modification to the Air Traffic Services Licence of NATS (En Route) PLC

The Civil Aviation Authority ("the CAA") hereby gives notice pursuant to section 11(2) of the Transport Act 2000 of a proposal to make a modification to Schedule 4 of the air traffic services licence held by NATS (En Route) PLC ("the Licensee"). The effect of the proposed modification would be to remove from Schedule 4 the Nuclear and Chemical Accident Service with effect from 1 December 2006 so that the Licensee would no longer be under an obligation to provide this specified service under Condition 2.1(b) of the Licence.

By agreement between the Licensee and the CAA, responsibility for the provision of the Nuclear and Chemical Accident Service has been transferred from the Licensee to the CAA with effect from 1 August 2006. Pending the completion of the process under Condition 4 of the Licence for the removal of a service from the list of specified services and the modification of the Licence proposed in this Notice, the CAA has relieved the Licensee of its obligations under Condition 2.1(b) of the Licence in relation to the Nuclear and Chemical Accident Service with effect from 1 August 2006 for an indefinite period.

Any representations about the proposed modification set out in this notice should be made by no later than **Friday 25 August 2006**. They should be sent, preferably by email to paul.taylor@caaerq.org.uk, or alternatively by post to:

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All responses will be treated as public information and the CAA will place copies on its website soon after the end of the consultation period.

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