

# UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

11 MAY 2022

## CURRENT NATIONAL CONSULTATIONS

**CAA online survey: Engagement on our Strategy and Regulatory Principles**

Closing date: 30/06/2022

<https://consultations.caa.co.uk/corporate-communications/our-strategy-and-regulatory-principles/>

## PUBLICATIONS & INDUSTRY UPDATES

**Aircraft Noise and Health Effects – a six monthly update**

**CAP 2328**

CAA Publication

[http://publicapps.caa.co.uk/docs/33/Aircraft%20Noise%20and%20Health%20Effects%20\(CAP2328\).pdf](http://publicapps.caa.co.uk/docs/33/Aircraft%20Noise%20and%20Health%20Effects%20(CAP2328).pdf)

**Passenger traffic recovery continues in March 2022: The International Air Transport Association has released its passenger data for March 2022 showing that the recovery of air travel continues, with little impact from the conflict in Ukraine**

International Airport Review – 05/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/news/176499/passenger-traffic-recovery-continues-in-march-2022/>

**How Autonomous Technology is Fueling Airport Operations**

OAG – 11/05/2022

<https://www.oag.com/blog/autonomous-technology-fueling-airport-operations>

**Tech Talk: Departure Control Systems: The aviation industry is full of systems each with its own acronym, along with its own vitally important role and responsibility within the passenger journey. Here we take a look at Departure Control Systems and the role that plays in the smooth operation of airlines and airports across the globe**

International Airport Review – 11/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/whitepaper/176745/tech-talk-departure-control-systems/>

**AEF Newsletter: Curbing Airport Expansion And The Latest In The Sustainable Fuels Debate**

AEF – 06/05/2022

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

<https://www.aef.org.uk/2022/05/06/aef-newsletter-curbing-airport-expansion-and-the-latest-in-the-sustainable-fuels-debate/>

### **International Airport Review Issue 2 2022**

05/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/article/176212/international-airport-review-issue-2-2022/>

## PRESS AND MEDIA

### Headlines

#### **Europe's airports and ground handlers discuss complex challenges**

International Airport Review – 09/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/news/176651/europes-airports-and-ground-handlers-discuss-current-complex-challenges/>

#### **Two-Thirds Of European Airports Expect Flight Delays And Cancellations To Continue This Summer**

Independent – 09/05/2022

<https://www.independent.co.uk/travel/news-and-advice/flight-delays-cancellations-europe-summer-b2074605.html>

#### **Staff crisis so bad one airline is removing seats while another asks passengers to 'bring own food'**

The Points Guy – 09/05/2022

<https://thepointsguy.co.uk/news/easyjet-seat-removal-tui-food-staff-shortages/>

#### **BA overhauls management in 'extremely challenging' period**

Travel Weekly – 11/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/ba-overhauls-management-in-extremely-challenging-period>

#### **Majority 'plan to spend more or the same on foreign travel' than before pandemic**

Travel Weekly – 10/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/majority-plan-to-spend-more-or-the-same-on-foreign-travel-than-before-pandemic>

#### **Feeling Supersonic: these are the new challengers for Concorde's crown**

The Gentleman's Journal -05/05/2022

<https://www.thegentlemansjournal.com/article/these-are-the-new-concorde-challengers/>

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

### Passenger news

#### Europe drops face covering rule for flights and airports - but don't ditch your mask yet

Lonely Planet – 11/05/2022

<https://www.lonelyplanet.com/news/eu-scrap-face-mask-rule-for-flights-and-airports>

### Industry news

#### IATA hails air travel recovery but warns of airport delays

Travel Weekly – 05/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/iata-hails-air-travel-recovery-but-warns-of-airport-delays>

#### UK and EU package travel rules set to diverge, warns Abta

Travel Weekly – 10/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/uk-and-eu-package-travel-rules-set-to-diverge-warns-abta>

#### Global policy to remove headaches from international travel

International Airport Review – 09/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/news/176642/global-policy-to-remove-headaches-from-international-travel/>

### Environmental news

#### Just one of 50 aviation industry climate targets met, study finds

Guardian – 10/05/2022

<https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2022/may/10/just-one-of-50-aviation-industry-climate-targets-met-study-finds>

#### Raising The Public Visibility Of Aviation Emissions

AEF – 05/05/2022

<https://www.aef.org.uk/2022/05/05/raising-the-public-visibility-of-aviation-emissions/>

#### EU urged to cut emissions from aviation faster – and address the aromatics problem

Airport Watch – 09/05/2022

<https://www.airportwatch.org.uk/2022/05/eu-urged-to-cut-emissions-from-aviation-faster-and-address-the-aromatics-problem/>

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

### **How middlemen carbon brokers take a cut from money meant to help offset CO2 emissions**

Airport Watch – 06/05/2022

<https://www.airportwatch.org.uk/2022/05/how-middlemen-carbon-brokers-take-a-cut-from-money-meant-to-help-offset-emissions/>

### **Etihad Airways Unveils New Sustainability-Driven Economy Experience**

NI Travel News – 09/05/2022

<https://nitravelnews.com/news/etihad-airways-unveils-new-sustainability-driven-economy-experience/>

### **Britain's first electric-powered plane takes its maiden flight**

Metro – 05/05/2022

<https://metro.co.uk/2022/05/05/britains-first-electric-powered-plane-takes-its-maiden-flight-16587734/?ito=newsnow-feed>

## **Belfast International**

### **Tui to operate Belfast-Florida flights in summer 2023**

Travel Weekly – 10/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/tui-to-operate-belfast-florida-flights-in-summer-2023>

### **easyJet launches first flight to Menorca from Belfast International for the summer**

Love Belfast – 11/05/2022

<https://lovebelfast.co.uk/easyjet-launches-first-flight-to-menorca-from-belfast-international-for-the-summer/>

## **Birmingham**

### **Airline passengers forced to wait outside airport for hours**

Evening Standard – 09/05/2022

<https://www.standard.co.uk/news/uk/birmingham-airport-grant-shapps-heathrow-border-force-manchester-b998806.html>

### **Birmingham Airport issues statement after 'queue chaos'**

Birmingham Mail – 09/05/2022

<https://www.birminghammail.co.uk/news/midlands-news/birmingham-airport-issues-statement-after-23905422>

### **Birmingham Airport: Calmer scenes after delays**

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

BBC – 10/05/2022

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-birmingham-61398329>

### **Speed of holiday bounce back caught us off guard, says Birmingham Airport boss**

Express & Star – 11/05/2022

<https://www.expressandstar.com/news/transport/2022/05/11/speed-of-holiday-bounce-back-caught-us-off-guard-says-birmingham-airport-boss/>

## **Bristol**

### **Bristol Airport: High Court hearing granted for expansion ruling**

BBC – 10/05/2022

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-bristol-61394184>

### **Bristol Airport live: 'Queue out the door' as delays hit passengers again**

Bristol Live – 11/05/2022

<https://www.bristolpost.co.uk/news/bristol-news/bristol-airport-live-queue-out-7064865>

### **Bristol Airport issues statement amid passengers queuing 'out the door'**

Somerset Live – 11/05/2022

<https://www.somersetlive.co.uk/news/somerset-news/bristol-airport-issues-statement-amid-7065912>

## **East Midlands**

### **East Midlands Airport evacuated in security alert**

BBC – 10/05/2022

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-nottinghamshire-61400561>

## **Edinburgh**

### **Edinburgh Airport rated better than Glasgow Airport by The Telegraph in new poll**

Edinburgh Live – 11/05/2022

<https://www.edinburghlive.co.uk/news/edinburgh-news/edinburgh-airport-rated-better-glasgow-23916773>

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

### **Edinburgh Airport welcomes almost one million passengers as numbers bounce back**

Insider – 11/05/2022

<https://www.insider.co.uk/news/edinburgh-airport-welcomes-almost-one-26931573>

### **Edinburgh airport switches ground vehicles to sustainable fuel**

BTN – 09/05/2022

<https://www.businesstravelnewseurope.com/Air-Travel/Edinburgh-airport-switches-ground-vehicles-to-sustainable-fuel>

### **Loganair revives Edinburgh-Norway routes**

Travel Weekly – 11/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/loganair-revives-edinburgh-norway-routes>

## **Exeter**

### **Exeter airport flies high as USA flights launched**

Torbay Weekly – 08/05/2022

<https://www.torbayweekly.co.uk/exeter-airport-flies-high-as-usa-flights-launched/>

## **Farnborough**

### **Farnborough looms up**

BT News – 09/05/2022

<https://www.btnews.co.uk/article/19084>

## **Glasgow**

### **Glasgow Airport ranked among the easiest to access in Britain**

Glasgow World – 10/05/2022

<https://www.glasgowworld.com/business/glasgow-airport-ranked-among-the-easiest-to-access-in-britain-3687370>

## **Glasgow Prestwick**

### **Ryanair admits error on Glasgow Prestwick flight as staff refuse to let child with valid passport board**

Glasgow Live – 06/05/2022

<https://www.glasgowlive.co.uk/news/ryanair-admits-error-glasgow-prestwick-23882511>

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

### Inverness

#### **British Airways to reduce number of Inverness to Heathrow flights**

STV – 05/05/2022

<https://news.stv.tv/highlands-islands/british-airways-set-to-reduce-flights-from-inverness-to-london-heathrow-this-summer>

### Leeds Bradford

#### **Leeds Bradford Airport vows 'to do better' after it is named the 'worst in the UK' for cancelled flights**

Yorkshire Evening Post – 09/05/2022

<https://www.yorkshireeveningpost.co.uk/news/transport/leeds-bradford-airport-vows-to-do-better-after-it-is-named-the-worst-in-the-uk-for-cancelled-flights-3686420>

#### **Inside Leeds Bradford Airport 'chaos' with queues like you've 'never seen before' and angry passengers demanding answers**

Leeds Live – 11/05/2022

<https://www.leeds-live.co.uk/news/leeds-news/inside-leeds-bradford-airport-chaos-23924722>

### Liverpool

#### **What Lufthansa's global connections mean for city and future of John Lennon Airport**

Liverpool Echo – 08/05/2022

<https://www.liverpoolecho.co.uk/news/liverpool-news/what-lufthansas-global-connections-mean-23899660>

### London City

#### **A record month for London City Airport**

International Airport Review – 06/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/news/176559/a-record-month-for-london-city-airport/>

#### **Best Airport in Britain Recognition Follows Another Record Month for London City Airport**

London City Airport – 05/05/2020

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

<https://media.londoncityairport.com/best-airport-in-britain-recognition-follows-another-record-month-for-london-city-airport/>

### London Gatwick

#### **Bogus Gatwick Airport parking service left cars unlocked in open field**

ITV – 11/05/2022

<https://www.itv.com/news/meridian/2022-05-11/dashcam-catches-car-being-driven-around-by-bogus-gatwick-parking-service>

### London Heathrow

#### **Heathrow records strong April 2022**

International Airport Review – 10/05/2022

<https://www.internationalairportreview.com/news/176695/heathrow-records-strong-april-2022/>

#### **More losses for Heathrow as chaos engulfs aviation industry despite a surge in passenger numbers**

This is Money – 10/05/2022

[https://www.thisismoney.co.uk/money/markets/article-10802325/More-losses-Heathrow-chaos-engulfs-aviation-industry.html?ico=mol\\_desktop\\_moneymarkets](https://www.thisismoney.co.uk/money/markets/article-10802325/More-losses-Heathrow-chaos-engulfs-aviation-industry.html?ico=mol_desktop_moneymarkets)

#### **Heathrow facing 'significant challenges' despite increasing passenger forecasts**

Travel Weekly – 10/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/heathrow-facing-significant-challenges-despite-increasing-passenger-forecasts>

#### **53 million summer holidaymakers now expected at Heathrow**

Evening Standard – 10/05/2022

<https://www.standard.co.uk/news/uk/heathrow-airport-passenger-numbers-london-covid-travel-b999088.html>

#### **Heathrow ups travel outlook but wants to charge more**

London South East – 10/05/2022

<https://www.lse.co.uk/news/london-briefing-heathrow-ups-travel-outlook-but-wants-to-charge-more-nu66whxcw66plfk.html>

#### **Loganair to axe Teesside-Heathrow route due to higher airport charges**

BTN – 10/05/2022

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

[https://www.businesstravelnewseurope.com/Air-Travel/Loganair-to-axe-Teesside-Heathrow-route-due-to-higher-airport-charges?utm\\_source=newsletter&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=eltrbtneurope](https://www.businesstravelnewseurope.com/Air-Travel/Loganair-to-axe-Teesside-Heathrow-route-due-to-higher-airport-charges?utm_source=newsletter&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=eltrbtneurope)

### **Cathay Pacific to reinstate daily Heathrow-Hong Kong flights**

Travel Weekly – 11/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/cathay-pacific-to-reinstate-daily-heathrow-hong-kong-flights>

### **London Luton**

#### **London Luton Airport: Wizz Air passenger numbers increase by over 500 per cent**

Bedfordshire Live – 05/05/2022

<https://www.bedfordshirelive.co.uk/news/bedfordshire-news/london-luton-airport-wizz-air-7028644>

### **London Southend**

#### **Southend Airport is back**

BT News – 09/05/2022

<https://www.btnews.co.uk/article/19079>

### **London Stansted**

#### **Best UK airports: Stansted Airport named 'hardest airport to access' from major cities by the Telegraph**

Essex Live – 11/05/2022

<https://www.essexlive.news/news/essex-news/best-uk-airports-stansted-airport-7061414>

#### **Stansted Airport: Why UK planes get diverted to Stansted when there's a security alert**

Essex Live – 10/05/2022

<https://www.essexlive.news/news/essex-news/stansted-airport-uk-planes-diverted-7057371>

#### **Play launches flights to Boston from Stansted**

Travel Weekly – 11/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/play-launches-flights-to-boston-from-stansted>

### **Manchester**

## UKACCS WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

### **Manchester Airport passengers stuck on tarmac for 'more than two HOURS because no staff to load baggage'**

Manchester Evening News – 06/05/2022

<https://www.manchestereveningnews.co.uk/news/greater-manchester-news/manchester-airport-passengers-baggage-delay-23874456>

### **Staff numbers bolstered as Manchester airport tackles passenger congestion**

Travel Weekly – 05/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/staff-numbers-bolstered-as-manchester-airport-tackles-passenger-congestion>

### **Jobs and news at Manchester Airport**

BT News – 09/05/2022

<https://www.btnews.co.uk/article/19074>

### **Jet2 increases Manchester capacity with widebody aircraft**

Travel Weekly – 06/05/2022

<https://travelweekly.co.uk/news/air/jet2-increases-manchester-capacity-with-widebody-aircraft>

## Newcastle

### **Newcastle airport is ranked as Britain's third best airport**

Chronicle Live – 10/05/2022

<https://www.chroniclelive.co.uk/news/uk-news/newcastle-airport-ranked-britains-third-23912900>

## Southampton

### **AGS Airports speaks out over loss of Loganair route between Southampton and Teesside**

Daily Echo – 11/05/2022

<https://www.dailyecho.co.uk/news/20128887.southampton-airport-owner-disappointed-loss-loganair-route-teesside/>