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05th June 2023

Shri Arun Bansal
Chief Executive Officer
Adani Airport Holdings

Dear Arunji,

Sub: Lack of impactful improvement in Connectivity from TRV after the takeover by Adani Group and urgent need to enhance passenger facilities - reg

We trust this Letter finds you well.

As a deeply engaged and involved Stakeholder of Thiruvananthapuram International Airport, who played a pivotal role in listing the airport for Lease and undertook a vital part in the legal recourse to navigate the Government of Kerala's resistance following the bidding process, we are continually faced with questions from people of Thiruvananthapuram, Kollam, and Pathanamthitta, and also Kanyakumari and Tirunelveli (in Tamil Nadu) - Districts that form the State Capital Region (SCR) and the catchment area of TRV, about the slow progress in the overall development of the Airport since Adani Group took over the operations on 14th October 2021, which is nearing two years.

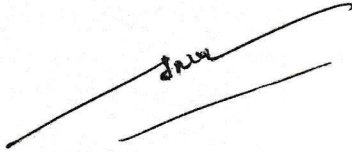
Despite the collaborative organisation of the Trivandrum Airlines' Summit in September 2022 and our engaging the Airlines frequently, the Airport Operator has not made adequate efforts to broaden the flight options and reduction in fares. It is a rude shock to see competitor Airports wooing away the Airlines that attended the Airlines' Summit. Viet Jet announcing flights from Cochin International Airport (COK) is a glaring example.

People of the Capital of Kerala, and the adjoining areas, justifiably aspire for the best connectivity and an airport experience of global standards. Prompt and substantial action is not only essential to restore our firm faith in your Group but also to facilitate the advancement of the SCR by bringing back the migrated passengers as a whole, considering the crucial role that the Airport plays in promoting tourism, driving business opportunities and fostering regional growth.

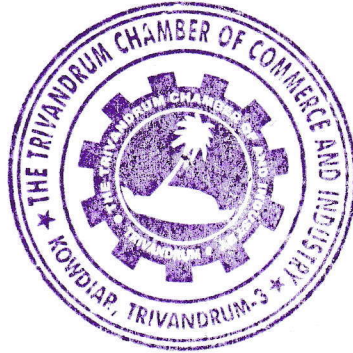
Citizens and Industry in the SCR anticipate a swift and substantive response, outlining the measures being undertaken to address the current shortcomings and provide timelines for the realisation of the promised improvements in connectivity, infrastructure, operational efficiency and service quality.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,



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President



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Secretary