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From: Judith Ward [REDACTED] >
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To: REED, Steve [REDACTED] >
Subject: Gatwick Expansion?

Dear Mr. Reed,

I wish to object most strongly to the proposed expansion of Gatwick Airport, also Heathrow. It is outrageous to expect the population of the South East to endure the extra Noise and Pollution that 50,000 to 100,000 extra flights will bring. We have enough noise and pollution, we do not think enough consideration has been given to the health, both physical and mental, of the people who live around airports and flight paths, screaming commercial and private jets and holiday flights, and what of the Environment? Why is it that the Environment, Global Warming, the health of the population are never an issue when it comes to flights and airports?

If this expansion does go ahead it would be a disaster for we residents and the whole of the South East.

Therefore should it go ahead I propose the Flight Companies and those who choose to Fly should pay a substantially greater amount of Tax for the privilege, and not, as is now plus just some token so called 'Off Setting'. 'Off Setting' as far as I can see only benefits rich companies and people buying farms from under genuine farmers then planting trees and making themselves the richer.

I have also written to my MP Andrew Griffith and I appeal to you and other Ministers to Please consider mine and the concerns of many on the serious issues of Airport Expansion.

Thank you for reading my email, for your work and hopefully consideration.

Sincerely,
Judith E. Ward (Mrs)

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