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Mr. Kevin Willis, Director
Office of Airport Compliance and Management Analysis
800 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20591

RE: City of Santa Monica's Acknowledgement of Your Letter Dated April 21, 2017

Dear Mr. Willis

We are in receipt of your letter dated April 21, 2017 that broadly outlines the actions that the City of Santa Monica should implement for the shortening of Runway 3-21 to 3,500 feet operational length as its prescribed by the January 30, 2017 Consent Decree between the Federal Aviation Administration and the City of Santa Monica. We greatly appreciated your letter as it provides a baseline to facilitate an orderly transition.

In your letter, you highlighted a number of actions, some of which are already underway, that deserve a considered response by the City and we expect to provide you a response and status update in a timely manner. In the interim, please accept this letter as our acknowledgement of your April 21 correspondence. We appreciate all the cooperation received thus far, particularly from your ADO Manager David Cushing and his team, and we look forward in working with you to fulfil the terms of the consent decree expeditiously.

Should you have any question please do not hesitate to contact me directly at 310.434.2693.

Sincerely,

Stelios Makrides
Airport Director
Santa Monica Airport