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Sent: Thursday, 15 December 2022 2:17 pm
To: Sonya Van De Geer; Garrick Wood
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Qantas and Emirates Alliance
Attachments: Jetstar announces direct services from Brisbane to Auckland_FINAL NZ version.pdf

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Dear Sonya and Garrick,

This is a courtesy note about a new route announced today by Jetstar.

Please see media release attached.

From 27 March 2023, Jetstar will operate the Brisbane-Auckland route (4 services per week, using a 186 seat Airbus A320 aircraft). The route is also currently operated by Qantas (but not Emirates).

This information supplements our application for authorisation of the Qantas-Emirates alliance.

We confirm that this email (redacting my personal contact details) may be made public if required.

Please let us know if you would like any other information.

Kind regards
Nicole

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AUCKLAND TO WELCOME MORE QUEENSLANDERS ON NEW DIRECT SERVICE

- **Jetstar announces new direct flights between Auckland and Brisbane**
- **Four return services a week from March 2023**
- **70,000 customers a year to travel between the two cities**

15 December 2023: Jetstar Airways has announced new direct flights from Auckland to Brisbane just in time for next year's Easter school holidays with launch fares starting from just NZ\$229 (one way).

The service will operate four times a week by an Airbus A320 aircraft, offering more than 70 thousand customers each year the opportunity to travel between New Zealand's biggest city and the Sunshine State's capital.

The low-cost carrier's first return flight will take off on Monday 27 March 2023* with the route expected to be popular with holidaymakers as well as expats on both sides of the Tasman.

Jetstar Group CEO, Stephanie Tully, said it was exciting to launch a new route that expanded Jetstar's Trans-Tasman network.

"This is the first time we've offered direct flights between Auckland and Brisbane, and we're confident this new return service will be extremely popular with our customers," said Ms. Tully

"Both New Zealand and Queensland offer holidaymakers many unique experiences and our amazing low-fares mean our customers will be able to spend more on enjoying those incredible activities.

"Queensland is home to one of the largest populations of Kiwi expats in Australia which means getting home to see family and friends will now be easier and more affordable for many New Zealanders.

"We expect demand for air travel to continue to grow in 2023 and we remain committed to offering the lowest fares to ensure our customers can travel to more places more often."

Auckland Airport's General Manager Customer and Aeronautical Commercial, Scott Tasker, said the arrival of Jetstar's direct connection between Auckland and Brisbane next year was wonderful news for trans-Tasman travellers.

"From the tropical north to the beaches of the Gold Coast, Queensland offers an exceptional travel experience – one that Kiwis have always loved. Plus, with so many New Zealanders calling



Queensland home, Jetstar's new service will be welcomed by those looking to catch up with friends and whānau," Mr Tasker said.

This is the second international new route to be announced by Jetstar this month after announcing flights between Sydney and Rarotonga in the Cook Islands are set to begin from June next year.

Flight schedule

Flight #	Frequency	From	To	Depart	Arrive
JQ148	Mon, Tue, Thurs, Sat	AKL	BNE	15:15	16:10
JQ147	Mon, Tue, Thurs, Sat	BNE	AKL	17:05	23:20

For more information or to make a booking, please visit www.jetstar.com

*Flights subject to government and regulatory approval

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