Amendment 67

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Proposal for a regulation Recital 2 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(2a) The Commission should propose new legislation on 'operational restrictions at airports for reducing emissions that contribute to air pollution and climate change' with the purpose, inter alia, of minimising external costs caused by those emissions.

Amendment 68

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Proposal for a regulation Recital 10 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(10a) For obtaining a more realistic view on noise disturbance, the Commission should propose methods of measuring and enforcing noise levels, including average and peak values as well as the cumulative effect.

Amendment 69

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Proposal for a regulation Recital 16

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(16) Considering the need for the consistent application of the noise assessment method within the EU aviation market, this Regulation sets out common rules in the field of noise operating restrictions. Directive 2002/30/EC should therefore be repealed,

deleted

Amendment 70

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Proposal for a regulation Article 1 – paragraph 2 – point b

Text proposed by the Commission

(b) to enable selection of the most *cost-effective* noise *mitigation* measures in accordance with the Balanced Approach so as to achieve *the* sustainable development of the airport and air traffic management network *capacity from a gate-to-gate perspective*.

Amendment

(b) to enable selection of the most *effective* noise *reduction* measures in accordance with the Balanced Approach so as to achieve *more effective noise reduction measures at the source and thereby the long-term* sustainable development of the airport and air traffic management network.

Amendment 71

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Proposal for a regulation Article 1 – paragraph 3 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

3a. Differentiated measures for noise reduction by operational restrictions, including night bans between 22:00 and 06:00, shall be based on the location of each airport, as shown on the noise maps, delivered by the Member States on the basis of Directive 2002/49/EC.

Amendment 72

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Proposal for a regulation Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 1 a (new)

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(1a) 'Air transport area' means an area that includes the airport as well as takeoff and landing routes and where local noise emissions limits may be exceeded;

Amendment 73

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Proposal for a regulation Article 2 – paragraph 1 – point 2

Text proposed by the Commission

(2) 'Balanced Approach' means the method under which the range of available measures, *namely* reduction of aircraft noise at source, land-use planning and management, noise abatement operational procedures and operating restrictions, *is considered in a consistent way with the view to addressing the* noise *problem in the most cost-effective way* on an airport by airport basis.

Amendment

(2) 'Balanced Approach' means the method under which the range of available measures, *inter alia noise avoidance*, reduction of aircraft noise at *the* source, *protection of health, affected by noise*, land-use planning and management, noise abatement operational procedures and operating restrictions, *to address the problem of* noise *avoidance and reduction efficiently* on an airport by airport basis.

Amendment 74

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Proposal for a regulation Article 3 – paragraph 1

Text proposed by the Commission

1. Member States shall designate competent authorities responsible for adopting measures on operating restrictions, as well as an independent appeal body.

Amendment

1. Member States shall fix the noise limits at different airports, define the noise reduction targets and choose the most efficient measures for noise reduction. The measures shall be based on the WHO noise guidelines for Europe as well as national procedures and the representative organisations of affected citizens shall be consulted by an independent body.

Amendment 75

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Proposal for a regulation Article 4 – paragraph 1 – point g

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

(g) decide on the measures and *provide for sufficient notification*;

(g) decide on the measures and *inform the Commission*;

Amendment 76

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Proposal for a regulation

Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – introductory part

Text proposed by the Commission

Amendment

Member States shall, when taking noiserelated action, consider the following combination of available measures, with a view to determining the most cost-effective combination of measures: Member States shall, when taking noiserelated action, consider *inter alia* the following *combinations* of available measures:

Amendment 77

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Proposal for a regulation Article 4 – paragraph 2 – subparagraph 1 – point d

Text proposed by the Commission Amendment

(d) *not as a first resort*, operating restrictions.

(d) operating restrictions.