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Government of India  
Ministry of Civil Aviation



GRANT OF IN-PRINCIPLE APPROVAL

**Application Number:** AV.24032/057/2007-AAI  
**Name of Applicant:** Karaikal Airport Private Limited.  
**Address :** No.28, Kannadiar Street, Karaikal,  
Puducherry-609602.

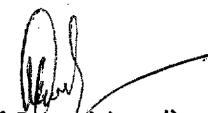
**Decision:** The Steering Committee considered the application for setting up of a Greenfield airport at the site covering areas of Ponbethy, Puthakudy and Varichikudy Revenue Villages of Karaikal region in Puducherry under 'public use' in its meeting held on 11.01.2011. Based on the recommendations of the Steering Committee, Central Government is hereby accorded 'in-principle' approval for setting up of a Greenfield airport at the site covering areas of Ponbethy, Puthakudy and Varichikudy Revenue Villages of Karaikal region in Puducherry for international operations in 'public use' category in case it enjoys all the necessary infrastructure facilities required for an international airport subject to the conditions stipulated by Ministry of Defence, Govt. of Puducherry, Airports Authority

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of India; and other agencies, if any and compliance of the guidelines for setting up of Greenfield airports in the country issued by Ministry of Civil Aviation from time to time.

Conditions of grant of 'in-principle' approval

- (i) The selected promoter shall be required to complete the necessary formalities with DGCA, AAI and other regulatory agencies.
- (ii) M/s Karaikal Airport Limited may indicate a timeline / road map for various activities to be undertaken for the development of this project and inform the Central Government within one month of the grant of 'in-principle' approval.

  
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Under Secretary to the Government of India.

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Date: 24.02.2011.