#### STATEMENT IN WRITING OF POSTING OF NOTICE OF MEETING

**CORPORATIONS ACT 2001** 

Virgin Australia Holdings Limited, ACN 100 686 226 and certain entities listed in Schedule A (all Administrators Appointed) (the Companies or Virgin)

I Sabrina Tran, of Deloitte Financial Advisory Pty Ltd, Level 4, Grosnevor Place, 225 George St, Sydney NSW 2000 state:

- 1. On 22 April 2020 a circular to landlords, marked as Annexure A, was sent by email to each of the recipients detailed in Annexure B.
- 2. The circular was sent to each of the recipients with known email addresses, listed in Annexure B.

DATED this 23<sup>nd</sup> day of April 2020.

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### Schedule A - Virgin Group entities, all Administrators Appointed

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21 April 2020

#### **CIRCULAR TO LANDLORDS**

Dear Sir/Madam

Virgin Australia Holdings Ltd and certain entities listed in Schedule A (All Administrators Appointed) (Virgin)

#### **Appointment of Voluntary Administrators**

Vaughan Strawbridge, John Greig, Sal Algeri and Richard Hughes were appointed Joint and Several Administrators (**Administrators**) of Virgin on 20 April 2020, pursuant to the provisions of Section 436A of the Corporations Act 2001 (**Act**).

#### As the Administrators:

- we assume responsibility for the business and operations of Virgin. Subject to the various COVID-19 restrictions that are in place, we intend to continue trading Virgin's business whilst we undertake a process to recapitalise the business to bring it out of administration as soon as possible
- Houlihan Lokey, who were appointed by Virgin prior to our appointment to seek a recapitalisation of Virgin, will be retained to continue this work with management and the Administrators
- we are responsible for dealing with the staff and suppliers of the business in respect to the ongoing trading of the business from the date of our appointment.

Whilst we assume responsibility for the business, Paul Scurrah and the Virgin management team will continue to be in charge of the operations of the business, with support from our team and us. We are working with management to support the review and roll out role of Virgin's strategic plans to provide the platform for enhanced profitability and viability of Virgin when COVID-19 impacts break.

In respect of Houlihan Lokey's appointment, a number of parties have already registered their interest in being involved in seeing Virgin come through this process as a restructured financially secure business, which can re-commence normal operations as soon as possible as the COVID-19 pandemic allows.

We are committed to working with the Virgin and Houlihan Lokey team to ensure the success of this process which is intended to continue the employment of the majority of the current 10,000 strong Virgin team, whilst obtaining the best outcome for all stakeholders.

We will update you as this work progresses and on the expected timetable for the recapitalisation. All communication should continue through existing reporting lines within the Virgin team.

#### Your lease and information required

We understand that Virgin currently leases property from you (**Property**). For the purpose of this letter we are referring to property hired, leased, used or occupied.

To assist us, can you please forward to our office as a matter of urgency, all documentation relating to the lease(s) with your company, including, but not limited to:

- A copy of the lease agreements;
- Details of any guarantees with respect to the lease, including bank guarantees'
- Amount of monthly rental payments and any arrears; and
- Any other details with respect to the lease.

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We understand that there may be an outstanding debt owed to you by Virgin.

We will be sending further correspondence during the Administration period in respect of the expected quantum of any return to creditors, and details for lodgement of your claim for debts outstanding as at the date of our appointment.

#### Rent free period

Being able to maintain the business through ongoing trade is critical to achieving a recapitilisation or sale of the business, which will secure the long term future of the business. Our initial review has concluded that the business cannot support rental payments on Property that is impacted by the restrictions imposed in relation to COVID-19.

Given this impact, we are seeking your consent to waive the liability of any rent due or payable (or other charges) relating to the Property *against the Administrators*. This will cover the period until the earlier of either of the following events occurs (**Period**):

- A sale of business or recapitilisation is achieved, and the binding agreements have been executed by the Administrators; or
- b. In the event the above is not achieved, the commencement of the winding down of Virgin's operations

This will give the Administrators the opportunity to secure an orderly sale, but in circumstances where they do not incur any personal liability relating to the Property. The Administrators acknowledge that any rent and other amounts payable during the Period will be classified as an unsecured claim in the Administration.

We understand ordinarily, an Administrator only has 5 business days from the beginning of the Administration to give notice to an owner of property whether to disclaim any leases or contracts over the property, failing which the Administrator becomes liable for the ongoing rent or other amounts payable by Virgin during the Administration (see Section 443B of the Act). Therefore, we require an answer from you by 22 April 2020 for us to consider whether we disclaim your lease or seek the appropriate relief from the Court.

If the Administrators were to formally disclaim your lease agreement, it would be detrimental to the sale of business or recapitilisation process and would impact any ongoing benefit you could receive from any process. The Administrators do not consider that this would be in the best interests of you or the other creditors of Virgin, and therefore, the Administrators would prefer not to have to issue the usual notice under Section 443B.

The Administrators appreciate your ongoing support of the business during this period, which is critical to achieving a successful outcome for all stakeholders.

As noted above, the 5 day notice period under Section 443B expires on 27 April 2020, and so we **request your urgent response to this letter by 22 April 2020**. For ease of response, confirmation by email to the consent sought under this letter would be appreciated, or alternatively, by signing and returning a copy of this letter to the address indicated at the top of this letter.

Should you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact Paul Ritchie on 02 8260 4682 or virginadmin@deloitte.com.au.

Yours faithfully

Sam Marsden

For and on behalf of Richard Hughes

Joint and Several Administrator

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Agreement to the consent requested under this letter:		
We confirm agreement to the consent s Administrators.	sought under this letter during the Period against the	
 Signature		
Name of Recipient		

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