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Dear <<First Name>> <<Last Name>>,

'A court case is the ultimate outcome of a failed dialogue.'

Of course BARIN is involved in many meetings with The Hague and Schiphol, on lots of different subjects. Most of the times, very productive and successful meetings, however If the meeting is not giving a fair and reasonable result, a court case might be the ultimate step. That's why we have joined IATA in their case against ACNL (see below) and we are happy to conclude that the judge has forbidden ACNL to apply its new policy rule for Summer 2022 with immediate effect.

Next in line will be our appeal at the ACM, who 'ensures fair competition between businesses, and protects consumer interests'. The outcome will be uncertain; although fair competition between Schiphol and airlines is debatable the past months. We concluded that, on your behalf, we have to take this step.

In the meantime USA is opening up, infections are increasing and a limited lockdown will again be introduced. Another turbulent time ahead for our

their customers pay for lost income, like Schiphol did 😊 !

Stay safe,

Marnix H Fruitema  
Chairman BARIN



### **Judge rules against Policy Rule Additional Allocation Criteria on destination list by Airport Coordination Netherlands (ACNL)**

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of November in a court case initiated by IATA and supported by amongst others BARIN, the Court of Noord Holland residing in Haarlem ruled against the introduction of a Policy Rule Additional Allocation Criteria by ACNL (the Slot-coordinator). In this additional policy rule a list of destinations was to be added giving preference to non- or underserved destinations in slot issuance at Dutch Airports. The aviation sector was of a joint opinion that this was interfering too much with the commercial decision-taking process by individual airlines.

Please [click here](#) to read the short version of the verdict (in Dutch).



### **BARIN met with ACM to discuss next steps in the Schiphol airport charges proposal 2022-24**

BARIN had a meeting with the Authority Consumer & Market (ACM) to discuss the next steps in the process of determining the airport charges for the period 2022-24. As you are no doubt aware of, Schiphol had the intention of a cumulative charge

counteroffer to our opinion and BARIN will definitely appeal to this increase through the ACM. We will be organizing a webinar on this topic on the 25<sup>th</sup> of November at 14:00 hrs for BARIN-members (as earlier announced) and we are currently working on our appeal which is due to be submitted no later than 26<sup>th</sup> November. We will keep you informed on the further process.



Government of  
the Netherlands

## **New COVID-19 Health Declaration Forms published by Ministry of Public Health, Welfare and Sports**

Please note that the Ministry of VWS has released a new COVID-19 Health Declaration Forms in both Dutch and English which you may download from this Flash Update.

Please [click here](#) to download the Dutch version and [click here](#) for the English version.

More information can be found on

<https://www.rijksoverheid.nl/documenten/publicaties/2020/07/20/gezondheidsverklaring-reizigers-nederlands>.

## **Lessons Learnt from data-breach issue at SITA in February 2021**



Last February a severe cyberattack occurred at SITA, one of the world's largest aviation IT-providers. The impact on various airlines around the globe was quite substantial. Our Preferred Partner **De Clercq Lawyers** has provided us with a very good study on the impact and the lessons learnt.



## Job opportunity at BARIN-member Egyptair

BARIN-member Egyptair has an opening for a Ticketing/Reservation and Sales and Marketing staff.

Please [click here](#) to download the job description and contact [amsterdam\\_to@egyptair.com](mailto:amsterdam_to@egyptair.com) should you know some candidates.

## Interesting to read

- Please [click here](#) to download the article of Reuters on "Some airlines risk failure if they do not cut emissions faster"
- Please [click here](#) to download the article of HSBC Research on eVTOL's



## IATA Updates

- Please [click here](#) to download Air Cargo up 9,1% in September
- Please [click here](#) to download Moderate Rebound in September Passenger Demand
- Please [click here](#) to download State of the Region Europe October 21
- Please [click here](#) to download International Aviation Climate Ambition Reflects Airlines' Net Zero Goal
- Please [click here](#) to download Passengers Want to Use Biometrics to Speed up Processes and Eliminate Queuing Post Pandemic
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**About BARIN**

BARIN is the industry association for airlines undertaking business in The Netherlands.

BARIN Member Airlines are represented by the most senior executives representing their companies in The Netherlands in the case of foreign based airlines, and hold senior executive management positions in the case of the Dutch-home-based airlines.

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