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PACIFIC AIRSHOW 2026 – GOLD COAST AERODROME (YBCG) APRON IMPACTS AND GA PARKING RESTRICTIONS

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 This AIC provides information on the operational impacts at Gold Coast Aerodrome (YBCG) during the Pacific Airshow Gold Coast 2026 (PAGC26).
- 1.2 YBSG will host a number of performance aircraft associated with PAGC26 which will affect aerodrome and apron operations from 12 to 17 August 2026.
- 1.3 The PAGC26 performance area is not in the immediate vicinity of YBCG.

2. APRON IMPACTS

- 2.1 The following apron and taxiway facilities will be unavailable between 12 August and 17 August:
 - a) RPT apron Bay 1 MARS and Bay 2
 - b) Remote stand MARS 30
 - c) Taxiway Alpha from Bay 2 eastwards
 - d) RPT apron Bay 10 MARS
 - e) Taxiway E - southern node
 - f) Associated Ground Service Equipment (GSE) storage and apron access roads
- 2.2 A temporary Performance Apron Special Event Zone (SEZ) will be established and delineated by U/S cones and yellow taxiway markers (refer Appendix 1).

3. GA AIRCRAFT PARKING IMPACTS AND CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.1 General Aviation parking at YBCG is limited and the GA apron is generally at capacity due to occupancy by local operators.
- 3.2 Bookings or reservations for itinerant recreational aircraft will not be accepted over the period 10 to 17 August 2026, and parking for other purposes will only be permitted with express permission of the Gold Coast Airport Pty Ltd.
- 3.3 It is recommended that PAGC26 attendees travelling to the Gold Coast avoid use of private/chartered aircraft and consider alternative methods of travel to avoid disappointment and to minimise logistical and safety concerns.

4. AIRSPACE AND AIR TRAFFIC SERVICES

- 4.1 Airspace restrictions, air traffic services procedures, and other operational arrangements associated with PAGC26 are detailed in AIP SUP: Pacific Airshow Gold Coast 14-16 August 2026, available from Airservices website: www.airservicesaustralia.com/aip/aip.asp.

5. MORE INFORMATION

- 5.1 Further information or clarification pertaining to this AIC may be obtained by contacting Gold Coast Airport Pty Ltd:

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6. CANCELLATION

- 6.1 This AIC self-cancels at 202608161400 UTC.

7. DISTRIBUTION

- 7.1 Airservices Australia website only.

Appendix

- 1. Performance Apron Special Event Zone (SEZ)

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