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Dear Sir Richard:

Air Jamaica/Virgin Atlantic Cooperation

This represents a follow-up to our exchange of correspondence as well as several telephone conversations on the matter.

Whilst it is an extremely difficult decision to make, having assessed the two offers I have decided to approve, in principle, the offer made by Virgin Atlantic. Therefore, I ask that a senior officer be given the task of bringing this matter to completion. The contacts at Air Jamaica are the Chairman, Mr O K Melhado and the President & CEO, Mr Mike Conway.

However, I should indicate that I am available to intervene at any stage if this is needed.

Yours sincerely,

Omar Davies, MP  
Minister

Copy to: Mr O K Melhado  
Chairman - Air Jamaica