

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## **Airnorth's Milingimbi Service Cancellation**

Airnorth advises that unfortunately our 2pm service to the community of Millingimbi today has been cancelled.

This cancellation affects thirteen passengers who are currently being advised.

Airnorth has provided regular passenger services to Millingimbi for over a decade however due to regulatory requirements and constraints surrounding the landing of our aircraft type at this airstrip, these services will be temporarily suspended.

Airnorth is currently working with the Regulator to ensure that any legislative requirements and approvals for this aerodrome are met. We continue to work on this as a priority to ensure that services can resume as quickly as possible.

Any passengers due to travel to and from Millingimbi from Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November should contact Airnorth reservations on 1 800 627 474 or email <u>reservations@airnorth.com.au</u>.

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## **Airnorth Fast facts**

- Australia's second longest serving airline, founded in 1978
- Full service carrier headquartered in Darwin, NT
- Owns and operates Australia's newest regional jet fleet
- 300,000 passengers a year
- 300 departures a week
- 21 destinations NT, WA, Queensland, Timor, Indonesia and now Victoria
- 270 employees, including 70 pilots
- Qantas partner since 2001
- Fixed wing and rotary charter services for major operators in oil & gas, mining, defence and government.
- Subsidiary of international Bristow Helicopters since 2015

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Alice Springs	Alice Springs				
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Airnorth provides direct connection to domestic and international flights through its partner airlines including codeshare arrangements with Qantas on most Airnorth jet services.

In 2015, Airnorth was acquired by international operator Bristow Helicopters enhancing the company's ability to offer a full service point-to-point logistics service.



