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Mr. Kerry D. Carter  
Port Director, Fort Myers, Florida  
U.S. Customs and Border Protection  
11000 Terminal Access Road #8636  
Fort Myers, Florida 33913

Dear Mr. Carter:

It was a pleasure to speak to you back in January of this year. Once again, welcome to Southwest Florida. Thank you for your email on February 9 explaining the formal process to request landing rights approval for the Charlotte County Airport Authority, the operator of Punta Gorda Airport (PGD).

We are currently in discussions with Canada Jetlines based out of Toronto Pearson International Airport (YYZ) in Ontario, Canada. YYZ will be Canada Jetlines' airport of origin, a U.S. CBP approved Preclearance airport. Canada Jetlines' schedule for PGD will be either once or twice weekly, starting in the fall of 2023. Canada Jetlines will operate the A320-200 aircraft. It will accommodate 174 passengers, all economy class. The aircraft will have a crew of six consisting of a pilot, co-pilot and four flight attendants.

PGD is in Punta Gorda, Florida, 40 miles north of Southwest Florida International Airport (RSW) and 59 miles south of Sarasota Bradenton International Airport (SRQ). PGD is a controlled field. The air traffic control tower is operated seven days a week from 0600 – 2100 daily. PGD has three runways. The primary runway, 4-22, is 7,193' long X 150' wide. Our terminal ramp can accommodate up to ten A320s, with plans to expand the ramp to allow for two additional A320 type aircraft. The terminal facility can seat up to 1,100 passengers.

We at PGD would greatly appreciate your assistance in this matter. Should you need any additional information or would like to speak to me, please do not hesitate to contact me at 941-639-1101 X 104 or you can email me at [gduncan@flypgd.com](mailto:gduncan@flypgd.com). I look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gary E. Duncan", is written over a horizontal line.

Gary E. Duncan, CM  
Chief Operating Officer, Punta Gorda Airport  
Charlotte County Airport Authority

cc: James Parish, CEO, Punta Gorda Airport