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The Government of Western Australia, in the interest of stability in an otherwise volatile aviation climate, support's the interim authorisation sort by Qantas Airways and British Airways with regard to the continuation of the Restated Joint Services Agreement. We do not believe it would be in anyone's interest to force the termination of the current agreement when it expires on 21 July 2003, particularly when that action is likely to cause widespread disruption to the travelling public at such short notice.

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