

Commission communication pursuant to Article 17(5) of Regulation (EC) No 1008/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council on common rules for the operation of air services in the Community

Invitation to tender in respect of the operation of scheduled air services in accordance with public service obligations

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Member State	United Kingdom
Route concerned	Tingwall–Fair Isle; Tingwall–Foula; Tingwall–Papa Stour; Tingwall–Out Skerries
Period of validity of the contract	1 April 2013 to 31 March 2016 with option to extend to 31 March 2017
Deadline for submission of applications and tenders	4 December 2012
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