

22 December 2024

Media Update

King Phalo Airport ILS procedure uplifted for operations.

Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS) SOC Ltd is pleased to announce that the Instrument Landing System (ILS) procedure for Runway 11 at King Phalo Airport has been uplifted for operation. The uplifting of the suspension follows an approval obtained from the South African Civil Aviation Authority (SACAA) a few weeks ago. According to civil aviation regulations, an approved procedure should undergo a process of publication before it could be uplifted for operation.

This approval ensures that both runways, 29 and 11, at King Phalo Airport have valid operational procedures. As a result of this development, flight operations are expected to improve, reducing the likelihood of flight disruptions as witnessed recently with cancellations, diversions and delays due to inclement weather conditions.

ATNS appreciates the patience exercised by the airlines; traveling passengers; business sector; the tourism community and entire residents of Buffalo City Metro Municipality during the maintenance programme of the instrument flight procedures in various airports across the country.

Issued by the Air Traffic and Navigation Services (ATNS) SOC Ltd

Mphilo K. Dlamini – Head of Corporate Affairs and Communications

076 639 5800

mphilod@atns.co.za

King Phalo Update

Page 1 of 1

22 December 2024