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Please find enclosed information and/or documents furnished by or on behalf of BAA plc (file no 82-3372) under paragraph (b)(1)(iii) of Rule 12g3-2, which information shall not be deemed "filed" with the SEC or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the US Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

To confirm receipt please fax the attached sheet to the number indicated. Thank you.

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BAA AND UNIONS TALK TO SETTLE AIRPORT PAY DISPUTE

BAA is pleased that Amicus has accepted the pay offer averaging 7% over two years, but is disappointed that TGWU members have rejected the offer. However talks will now take place between TGWU and the company with the intention of averting strike action.

BAA deputy chief executive, Mike Clasper said: "Only one of our unions has rejected our offer, the other three voted to accept it. Our offer is a significantly improved pay deal worth, on average, over 7% on basic pay over two years. This was a reasonable offer to staff who are already well paid.

"I believe all parties are fully aware that strike action would be in no-one's interests and would cause severe disruption to the public over Christmas. We are therefore pleased that talks will continue with union representatives and that the union is showing its commitment to averting action."

BAA has consistently provided competitive terms and conditions of employment and the current offer is well above industry average settlements and inflation. BAA has also recruited an additional 750 security staff to cope with the additional workloads created by the events of September 11.

Passengers who want information should contact their airlines or visit www.baa.com/strike.

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