

Deviation from Intended Flightpath

Interim Statement

Serious Incident Investigation
Boeing 787-9
G-VBOW
Waypoint RIVER of Hong Kong
18 October 2019

In accordance with the Hong Kong Civil Aviation (Investigation of Accidents) Regulations (Cap. 448B), an investigation is in progress to determine the circumstances and causes relating to the serious incident involving a Virgin Atlantic Airway Boeing 787-9 aircraft, registration G-VBOW, which deviated from the instrument landing system course when it was approaching to Hong Kong International Airport on 18 October 2019.

Based on all collected evidence and information, including those from similar occurrences, the investigation team is analysing the causes of the serious incident and drafting a report on the investigation.

In accordance with paragraph 6.6 of Annex 13 to the Convention on International Civil Aviation, if the report cannot be made publicly available within twelve months, the State/Administration conducting the investigation shall make an interim statement publicly available on each anniversary of the occurrence, detailing the progress of the investigation and any safety issues raised.

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Air Accident Investigation Authority Information

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