

“No credible net-zero plan can include rampant airport expansion”

15 May 2025 / 15 May 2025 by [Green Party](#)

Opening a third runway at Heathrow Airport could result in pollution equivalent to an additional 2.4 million tons of carbon dioxide being released into the atmosphere each year by 2050, according to the government's own figures released through FOI requests. Responding to this being reported in [Politico](#), Sian Berry MP said,

“This Labour Government is wildly out of touch with reality. Even with the maximum possible impact of “jet zero” efforts on fuel this expansion remains a climate catastrophe.

“The Net-zero minister is missing in action and his department is shamefully failing to stand up to a misguided Chancellor.

“No credible net-zero plan can include rampant airport expansion and it's time Labour looked to the many, many alternative ways to create high-paid green jobs.”

[Adblock test](#) ([Why?](#))