

### FINAVIA'S DECISION ON AVIATION CHARGES FOR 2025

The Finnish Act on the Airport Network and Airport Charges (210/2011) requires the airport managing body to publish its decision to change the level of airport charges as well as justification for these changes at least two months before the charges start to apply. Furthermore, the Act requires the managing body to consult with airport users at least once a year on the operation of the system of airport charges, the level of airport charges and, as appropriate, the quality of service provided.

Finavia Oyj has held a consultation meeting with airport users on 13 September 2024 and has now decided not to make changes to the proposal presented to the airport users at the consultation.

With this pricing decision Finavia informs the airport users of Finavia's airport charges that apply starting from 1.1.2025. Furthermore, with this decision Finavia informs airport users of Finavia's other aviation charges that are at this point known to change for the year 2025 but are not subject to procedures described in the Act on the Airport Network and Airport Charges.

The updated charges will be published on Finavia's website, <u>www.finavia.fi/termsofservices</u>, as soon as possible and at the latest on 31 December 2024.

### 1 AIRPORT CHARGES

Finavia's decision is to increase 2025 airport charges in average by 5,7% as indicated in Finavia's proposal sent to airport users for consultations on 30 August 2024.

Changed airport charges are (Terms of services items):

Item numb er	Description	Unit charge 2024	Unit charge 2025	Change
7.1	Landing charge			Average +6,7%
7.2.	Parking charge			Average +4,9%
7.3.1.	Electricity infrastructure charge at Helsinki Airport	0,28€/tn minimum 4,50€	0,28€/tn minimum 4,50€	no change
7.3.2.	Electricity charges at other airports	OUL& RVN 23,15€/use TKU 13,33€/use	OUL& RVN 24,50€/use TKU 14,10€/use	+5,8% +5,8%
7.4.	Passenger charge Local	10,61€	11,21€	+5,7%
7.4.	Passenger charge Transfer	5,04€	5,33€	+5,8%
7.4.	Passenger charge at Helsinki Airport Business Flight Terminal	25,00€	40,00€	+60,0%
7.5.	Security charge	5,71€	5,99€	+4,9%
7.6.	Noise charge			no change
7.7.	Run-up area charge at Helsinki Airport	100,00€	100,00€	no change



7.8.	Passenger supervision at Helsinki Airport	34,85€	25,90€	-25,7%
7.9.2.	Extended operating hours	900,00€/first hour	954,00€/first hour	+6,0%
		1.360,00€/next hours	1.360,00/next hours	no change
7.9.3.	Extra opening	2.010,00€/first hour	2.130,00€/first hour	+6,0%
		1.360,00€/next hours	1.360,00/next hours	no change

31.10.2024

### 1.1 JUSTIFICATION

The main reason behind the decided charge changes from 1.1.2025 is to limit the rapidly widening deficit of the aviation business. Aviation business deficit is mainly due to increases in depreciations and costs of energy and materials used. Finavia has adopted a hybrid till method where non-aviation income is partly used for offsetting the aviation deficit. For 2024 such income has not been enough to offset aviation deficit nor will be in 2025.

Finavia has reduced costs and staff heavily past couple of years and will be benefiting from the lower cost base in the future when traffic returns.

Detailed calculations and costs, information about Finavia's aviation business decifit and a profit and loss statement of Finavia's aviation business were included in Finavia's pricing proposal material and were presented to airport users in the consultation meetings.

Finavia's weighted average cost of capital (WACC) is 4,8%. A detailed description of calculation parameters has been sent to airport users as part of Finavia's pricing proposal material.

In the consultation meeting the following requirements and other statements were presented:

- 1) Increase of passenger charge for the Helsinki Airport Business Flight Terminal was considered too high
- 2) An initiative was made to create new landing charge category for helicopters, which are not using the runways or making an exception to the Helsinki Airport minimum landing charge for helicopters
- 3) Justification for higher landing charges for other than passenger aircrafts was questioned

In response, Finavia states that the passenger charges in the Helsinki Airport Business Flight Terminal are differentiated based on the service and cost level. Finavia has invested on renewal of the terminal and increased the service level at the same time. The estimated 2025 revenues collected from the terminal users will not cover the costs, but the charge increase will make the deficit smaller.

Further, Finavia's general overhead costs for operating the airports are spread to users on landing and passenger charges. Operators using only part of the infrastructure or services will pay full amount of these general costs. Hence other than passenger flights are paying higher landing charge to cover part of the overhead costs included in the passenger charge and the minimum landing charge applies to all type of aircrafts at Helsinki Airport.

# 1.2 DISAGREEMENTS ON THE DECISION

In case of disagreement, airport users can refer the decision of the airport charges for 2025 above to the Finnish Transport and Communication Agency for processing according to the Section 12 of the Act on the Airport Network and Airport Charges. Instructions on the procedure to be followed for resolving disagreements are attached to this decision.

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### 2 OTHER AVIATION CHARGES FOR 2025

Following items are not qualified as airport charges and hence are not subject to procedures described in the Act on the Airport Network and Airport Charges. However, the following changes to other aviation charges that are at this point known to change for the year 2025, are informed with this decision.

Finavia will increase following other charges for 2025. Increases are due to increases in related costs.

Item number	Description	Unit charge 2024	Unit charge 2025	Change
8.1.	De-icing handling fee at Helsinki Airport	Apron 1,95€/I	Apron 1,95€/l	0,0%
	Other airports	Remote 0,85€/I	Remote 0,90€/I	+5,9%
		1,00€/I	1,05€/I	+5,0%
8.2.	Emergency preparedness charge	175,30€/hour	185,20€/hour	+5,6%
8.3.	Oil recovery charge	192,00€/hour	203,00€/hour	+5,7%
8.4.	Assistance service charge (PRM fee)	0,50€/departing passenger	0,50€/departing passenger	no change
8.5.	Priority security lines at Helsinki Airport	3,00€/passenger	3,00€/passenger minimum 600,00€/month	no change Minimum added

# 3 OTHER ITEMS

All applicable charges for 2025 shall be included in the Finavia's Terms of Services 2025, which shall be published as soon as possible and at the latest on 31 December 2024.

Air navigation service provider Fintraffic Air Navigation Services Ltd will separately publish its pricing decision regarding terminal navigation charges.

Vantaa, 31 October 2024

# **FINAVIA OYJ**

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# APPENDIX 1 - TABLES FOR LANDING AND PARKING CHARGES FOR 2025

# 1.1 LANDING CHARGES

Scheduled and charter passenger traffic								
		2024		2025		Change		
MTOW	Lower limit	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	
0-2 000	0	12,63€	1,98€	13,43 €	2,10€	6,3 %	6,1 %	
2 001-5 700	2	16,60€	1,83€	17,65€	1,94€	6,3 %	6,0 %	
5 701-35 000	5,7	23,38€	4,61€	24,86 €	4,89€	6,3 %	6,1 %	
35 001-200 000	35	158,47 €	6,49€	169,57€	6,95€	7,0%	7,1 %	
>200 001	200	1 229,33 €	5,07€	1 326,23 €	5,43 €	7,9%	7,1 %	

Other Traffic								
		2024		2025		Change		
MTOW	Lower limit	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	Fixed charge	Charge per tn	
0-2 000	0	13,28€	2,02€	14,08€	2,17€	6,0 %	7,4 %	
2 001-5 700	2	17,33 €	2,02€	18,55€	2,17€	7,0%	7,4 %	
5 701-35 000	5,7	24,81€	5,07€	26,59€	5,43€	7,2%	7,1 %	
35 001-200 000	35	173,38€	9,68€	186,39€	10,41 €	7,5 %	7,5 %	
>200 001	200	1770,59€	9,68€	1 912,24 €	10,46 €	8,0%	8,1 %	

# 1.2 PARKING CHARGES

Helsinki Airport								
Parking time		2024	2025 Proposal	Change				
Lower limit	Upper limit	EUR/tn	EUR/tn	EUR/tn				
Over 2h	5h	1,43	1,50	4,9 %				
Over 5h	10h	2,84	2,98	4,9 %				
Over 10h	24h	4,25	4,46	4,9 %				
Over 24h		5,66	5,95	5,1 %				

Other Finavia Airports								
Parking time		2024	2025 Proposal	Change				
Lower limit Upper limit		EUR/tn	EUR/tn	EUR/tn				
Over 2h 24h		2,36	2,48	5,1 %				
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#### APPENDIX 2 - Instructions on the Procedure to be Followed for Resolving Disagreements



#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR REQUESTING AN ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

# How to request an administrative review

#### Authority considering the request for an administrative review

If you are unhappy with the decision you received you may request an administrative review from the Finnish Transport and Communications Agency ('the Agency'). You may submit your request by post, electronic means or courier.

#### Time limit

You must submit your request for an administrative review to the Agency within 30 days of receipt of the decision, the day of receipt excluded. If the final day is a public holiday, Saturday, Sunday, Independence Day, 1 May, Christmas Eve or Midsummer's Eve, the time limit is extended to the next working day.

The day of receipt is determined as follows:

- If the decision was sent by post as a standard service letter, you are considered to have been informed of the decision on the seventh day after the posting date, unless otherwise proven.
- If the decision was sent by post with advice of receipt (delivery confirmation), the date of receipt is shown in the confirmation document. The confirmation document must accompany the request submitted to the Agency.
- If the decision was served as a standard electronic message, you are considered to have been informed of the decision on the third day after the message was sent, unless otherwise proven.
- If the decision was served as a verifiable electronic message, you are considered to have been informed of the decision once you have retrieved the message from the server designated by the Agency.
- If the decision was sent by email in accordance with section 312 of the Act on Electronic Communication Services (917/2014), you are considered to have been informed of the decision once you have sent an acknowledgement to the Agency that the message has been read. If, according to law, the document does not have to be served verifiably, you are considered to have been informed of the decision on the third day after the message was sent, unless otherwise proven.
- If the decision was served by publication, you are considered to have been
  informed of the decision on the seventh day after the notification has been
  published on the Agency's website. If the notification cannot be published on the
  Agency's website, it will be published in the Official Gazette and you are
  considered to have been informed of the decision on the seventh day after the
  publication of the notification.
- If the decision was served via substituted service, you are considered to have been informed of the decision on the third day after the date indicated on the certificate of service.

Submit your request in good time to ensure that it arrives at the Agency's registry before the end of office hours on the last day of the time limit. The person requesting an administrative review is always responsible for ensuring that the request arrives in due time.

#### Form and content of the request

The request for an administrative review must be submitted in writing. It must include the following information:



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- your name and municipality of residence, and your contact details (postal address and telephone number) for notifications about the matter
- the decision for which you are requesting review
- · the amendment you seek to the decision
- · the grounds for requesting review.

You may write the request yourself or ask someone else to do so on your behalf as your attorney or legal representative. You or your attorney or legal representative must sign the document by hand. If the request is only signed by your attorney or legal representative, the document must also include his or her name and municipality of residence.

According to section 9 of the Act on Electronic Services and Communication in the Public Sector (13/2003), the required written form is also met by an electronic document delivered to the authorities. A request sent by electronic means does not have to be signed, if the document includes information on its sender and there is no uncertainty about the authenticity or integrity of the document. Provisions on electronic signatures are laid down in the EU Regulation (EU) No 910/2014 on electronic identification and trust services.

### Appendices required

Your request must be accompanied by the following documents:

- the Agency's decision for which you are requesting review, in the original or as a copy
- a certificate on the date of receipt of the decision or other evidence on the date when the time limit for requesting administrative review began to run
- the documents on which you rely in support of your demand, unless already delivered to the Agency
- the power of attorney of your attorney or legal representative, unless he or she
  is an attorney-at-law, a public legal aid attorney or a licensed legal counsel.

If an electronic document delivered to the Agency includes a clarification of the authority of your attorney or legal representative, he or she does not have to submit a power of attorney. However, the Agency may require a power of attorney, if there is uncertainty about the person's authority or the scope of the authority.

# Fees

The request for an administrative review is processed free of charge.

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# APPEAL AGAINST THE FEE CHARGED FOR THE DECISION

If you find that an error has occurred when charging the fee for this decision, you may request an administrative review from the Agency within six months of the charging of the fee. When requesting the administrative review of a fee charged, follow the instructions given above, as applicable.