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Professor Ron Heeren  
President of the International Mass Spectrometry Foundation  
M4I, University of Maastricht

Dear Professor Heeren,

On behalf of Liverpool John Lennon Airport I am writing in support of the bid for Liverpool to host the International Mass Spectrometry Conference in 2030.

Liverpool John Lennon is a regional airport handling over 5 million passengers per year with flights to over 70 destinations in the UK, across Europe and with onward connections to the US.

It is the award winning Faster, Easier, Friendlier Airport of choice for passengers from across the region and in recent years has been voted one of the UK's best airports by consumer advocacy organisation Which?, recognised for its relaxed, hassle free environment and best in class operational performance.

Located just 8 miles from Liverpool City centre and with direct public transport links, access for international delegates arriving for conferences at Liverpool Experience Campus (LEX) could not be easier.

We are delighted to support the City Region's bid to host this important conference and if successful, would look forward to the Airport being able to welcome arriving delegates from across the world.

Yours Sincerely,

John Irving  
CEO