**29th June 2020**

**Joint Statement: Airbus Job Loses**

Today’s announcement is immensely worrying for Airbus employees. Airbus plays a vital part in the North Wales economy and provides employment for many residents across North Wales.

We have spoken to airbus and will continue to work closely with the company, trade unions and both the Welsh and UK Government’s to do everything we can to support Airbus’ workers, their families and the wider community.

The UK Government has provided significant support to help Airbus face the challenges that have emerged as a result of this pandemic, including supporting employees through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme (CJRS) and investment in aerospace research and development.

We remain on hand to assist anyone who has been affected by this decision.