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All UK airports must close by 2050 for the country to reach its target of net zero climate emissions by then, scientists say.

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