

**OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AVIATION (X-40)
FOREIGN AND U.S. AIR CARRIER LICENSING DIVISIONS**

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**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
FIFTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

(Prior Approval Required By DOT Regulations (Part 212) and Orders)

* Denotes Applications Received This Week

** Denotes a Related Docketed Proceeding

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
TACA	Miami-Camaguey Miami-Havana 44 r.t. PAX	C&T Charters 2/1-6/30/05	Pending
PrivatAir	Paris, France-Newark, NJ 1 o.w. PAX	Chapman Freeborn 12/20/04	Approved 12/15/04
African Int'l	Shannon-Stewart Int'l-Newburgh- Louisville-Shannon-Luton, UK 1 r.t. CARGO	Intradco Cargo Services 12/18-20/04	Approved 12/13/04
	Atlanta-Lagos, Nigeria 1 r.t. CARGO	Air Charter Service 12/24/04	Pending
Air Atlanta Icelandic	Luxemburg-Hartford 1 r.t. CARGO	Cargolux Airlines 12/15-16/04	Approved 12/14/04
Polet Airlines	Denver-Barranquilla, Colombia Charlotte-Khartoum, Sudan 2 o.w. CARGO	Operation Christmas 12/5-15/04	Approved 12/6/04
	Newark-Bahrain 1 o.w. CARGO	*US Postal Service 12/15-16/04	Approved 12/15/04
G5 Executive	Las Vegas-Atlanta-Beirut, Lebanon 1 o.w. PAX	*Cadeau Express 12/20-23/04	Pending
	Paris, France-Atlanta-Las Vegas 1 o.w. PAX	*Cadeau Express 1/9-11/05	Pending

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION UNDER SECTION 212.9

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
THIRD/FOURTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Japan Airlines	U.S.-Japan 14 r.t. PAX	Various 1/2-2/4/05	Approved 12/15/04
Jalways	U.S.-Japan 3 r.t. PAX	Various 1/1-6/05	Approved 12/15/04
Volga-Dnepr	Anchorage-Pevek, Russia 1 o.w. CARGO	*LLC Bema Gold 12/26-27/04	Pending
Polet Airlines	Moscow, Russia-Denver 1 o.w. CARGO	*RD Amross 12/29/04	Pending
All Nippon Airways	U.S.-Japan 5 r.t. PAX	*ANA Sales & Tours 2/4-3/12/05	Pending

**APPLICATIONS FOR UNDOCKETED EXEMPTION AUTHORITY
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

(Exemptions Filed on Form OST 4536)

* Denotes Applications Received This Week

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Description of Operations</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Mexicana	*Conduct 3 o.w. COMBI flights between Morelia and Sacramento and 3 o.w. COMBI flights between El Bajio/ Leon and Sacramento, 12/18-28/04.	Approved 12/14/04
	*Conduct 10 r.t. COMBI flights between San Jose del Cabo and Sacramento, 12/16-24/04.	Approved 12/14/04
	*Conduct 10 r.t. COMBI flights between San Jose del Cabo and Las Vegas, 12/15-25/04.	Approved 12/14/04

**14 CFR PART 375 PERMIT APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Description of Operations</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Eco Airlines	Conduct six roundtrip Brisbane/Pohnpei-Saipan flights, carrying passengers and cargo, using Russian Federation-registered YAK 42D aircraft, 11/25-12/31/04.	Pending
Maxim Aviation	Conduct flights out of Yolo Co. Airport, CA, carrying parachutists/skydivers, using New Zealand-registered PAC 750XL aircraft, starting 12/15/03 for one year.	Dismissed 12/17/04

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
PART 216 SPECIAL AUTHORIZATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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Applicant

Points to be Served/Period Requested

Action Taken

None

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
PART CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served/ Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
VARIG	Carry transit scheduled traffic between Brazil and Japan on behalf of All Nippon Airways on VARIG's regularly-scheduled Brazil-Los Angeles-Japan single-plane flights, for one year.	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER
LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Martinair Holland	U.S.-Colombia/Venezuela As necessary CARGO	TAMPA 10/1/02-9/30/05	Approved thru 1/26/05 on 11/23/04 Remainder pending
LACSA	Guayaquil, Ecuador-New York As necessary COMBI	TACA Ecuador 11/23/04-11/23/06	Approved thru 11/18/05 on 11/18/04 Remainder pending
DHL Aero Expresso	U.S.-Venezuela As necessary	Vensecar International 6/21-04-6/21/06	Approved thru 6/21/05 on 6/21/04 Remainder pending
	Miami-Cayman Islands As necessary	Cayman Islands 1/3/05-1/3/07	Approved thru 1/3/06 on 11/23/04 Remainder pending
Air Atlanta Icelandic	Manchester, UK-Orlando 312 r.t. MIXED	Virgin Atlantic Airways 11/1/03-10/31/04	Approved thru 5/23/04 on 3/23//04 Remainder pending
	Frankfurt, Germany-U.S. pts. 46 r.t. CARGO	Lufthansa Cargo 10/31/04-3/26/05	Pending
Trans American	Guayaquil, Ecuador-JFK As necessary COMBI	TACA Ecuador 11/23/04-11/23/06	Approved thru 11/18/05 on 11/18/04 Remainder pending
TACA Intl	Guayaquil, Ecuador-JFK As necessary COMBI	TACA Ecuador 11/23/04-11/23/06	Approved thru 11/18/05 on 11/18/04 Remainder pending
TAMPA	Miami-Paramaribo, Surinam 52 r.t. CARGO	Surinam Airways 11/10/04-11/10/05	Pending
Lan Cargo	Chile-U.S. As necessary	Lan Airlines 12/15/04-12/15/05	Pending

**U.S. AIR CARRIER
LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

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Atlas Air	United States-Chile CARGO	Lan Airlines Indefinite	Approved 12/15/04
	United States-Chile CARGO	Lan Cargo Indefinite	Approved 12/15/04
Miami Air	U.S.-Trinidad & Tobago As necessary PAX	BWIA 1/4/05-1/4/06	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER INTERMODAL CARGO APPLICATIONS
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

(Approvals Required by Part 222 of DOT Regulations)

Initial Applications

<u>Name</u>	<u>Citizenship</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Answers Due</u>	<u>Status</u>
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None				
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NOTE: Objections to the above application(s) should be addressed to: the U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, Room 6412, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, by the answer date listed above.

**U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR DESIGNATION/NOTIFICATION FILED PURSUANT
TO AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004**

<u>Name and Address of Applicant</u>	<u>Markets for Which Approval is Sought</u>	<u>Response Due</u>
ExpressJet Airlines, Inc. d/b/a Continental Express 1600 Smith Street 41 st Floor HQSLG Houston, TX 77002	Houston-Queretaro	10/1/04

Note: Designation requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file competing requests or responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division (X-44), 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.

U.S.-MEXICO DORMANCY NOTICES¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004

<u>Date of Letter</u>	<u>Carrier</u>	<u>Market(s) Identified as Dormant</u>
11/24	American Airlines	Chicago-Monterrey Los Angeles-Guadalajara
11/30	Delta Air Lines	Dallas/Ft. Worth-Cancun New Orleans-Cancun Phoenix-Guaymas
11/30	Northwest Airlines	Detroit-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Phoenix-Puerto Vallarta Phoenix-San Jose del Cabo San Diego-San Jose del Cabo San Francisco-Mazatlan Seattle-San Jose del Cabo Seattle-Puerto Vallarta Seattle-Mazatlan San Francisco-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo
11/30	Continental Airlines	Detroit-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Houston-Tampico Houston-Veracruz Los Angeles-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Los Angeles-La Paz Los Angeles-Mazatlan Los Angeles-Puerto Vallarta Los Angeles-San Jose del Cabo San Antonio-Mexico City San Diego-San Jose del Cabo San Francisco-Mazatlan San Francisco-Puerto Vallarta San Francisco-San Jose del Cabo Tampa-Cancun
12/1	Alaska Airlines	Los Angeles-La Paz San Jose-Puerto Vallarta Phoenix-Puerto Vallarta Phoenix-San Jose del Cabo

¹ Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. We have directed carriers to file such notices as soon as the decision not to inaugurate service or to discontinue service (other than seasonally) is made, but in no case later than the 91st day of dormancy.

U.S.-MEXICO DORMANCY NOTICES²
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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Date of
Letter

Carrier

Market(s) Identified as Dormant

11/24

American Airlines

New Orleans-Mexico City
St. Louis-Acapulco
St. Louis-Cozumel
St. Louis-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo
St. Louis-Mexico City
St. Louis-Puerto Vallarta

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U.S.-MEXICO NOTICES OF SEASONAL/INTERMITTENT SERVICES ¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004

Date of
Letter

Carrier

Market(s) Identified as
Seasonal/Intermittent

None

¹ Pursuant to Order 96-11-24, U.S. carriers certificated for all-cargo services under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to identify seasonal/intermittent services.

U.S.-CARRIER REQUESTS TO CONVERT SERVICES
CODE-SHARE/DIRECT-CARRIER¹
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
DECEMBER 17, 2004

<u>Date of Letter</u>	<u>Carrier</u>	<u>Market</u>	<u>Type of Service (From/To)</u>	<u>Answers Due</u>
None				

¹ Pursuant to Order 99-6-6, U.S. carriers are required to file notice with the Department for approval to convert authorized nonstop transborder code-share operations from direct carrier service (designation), to service involving only the displaying of its code on another Mexican or U.S. carrier's flights (code-share only authorization), or vice versa.

U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF 90-DAY START-UP DATE
CONDITION OR REQUEST TO REACTIVE DORMANT EXEMPTION AUTHORITY
PURSUANT TO AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT,
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING
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<u>Name and Address</u> <u>of Carrier</u>	<u>Markets for Which</u> <u>Extension is Sought *</u>	<u>Disposition</u>
American Airlines 1101 17 th Street, NW Suite 600 Washington, DC 20036	Dallas/Ft. Worth-Chihuahua	

¹ Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated/designated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department if they fail to inaugurate service within the 90-day start-up period, or when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. In Order 88-10-30, we stated that we would entertain requests for extensions/exemption from the 90-day start-up period for good cause shown. Such requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.