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OPERATIONS AND EVENTS

PRAGUE AIRPORT RECEIVES WORLD ROUTES MARKETING AWARD ONCE AGAIN

Prague Airport won the category of airports handling 4 – 20 million passengers a year at the World Routes international conference, hosted in Barcelona from 23 to 26 September 2017. The airport has won in the competition of all airports in the same category for the second time in its history. Attending the largest gathering of air carriers and airports in the world, airline representatives recognised the quality of co-operation with the Prague's airport upon the development of new routes and in terms of marketing support.



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TO BELGRADE WITH HAINAN AIRLINES

Hainan Airlines, a Chinese air carrier, connecting Václav Havel Airport Prague with Beijing since September 2015, started operating flights on its new Prague – Belgrade route effective 15 September 2017. Flights on the route are offered on Mondays and Fridays and connect to morning arrivals of the carrier's flights from Beijing or afternoon departures of its flights to the Chinese capital.



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NEWS FROM AIRLINES

RUSLINE AIRLINES TO LAUNCH NEW KALININGRAD – PRAGUE ROUTE

A Russian air carrier, RusLine, has announced its plan to launch a new Kaliningrad – Prague service. The airline will operate flights to our capital from the start of the winter schedule on Tuesdays and Thursdays with scheduled arrivals at 12:35 pm. Bombardier CRJ-200 featuring 50 seats will be used to service the route. Kaliningrad will thus become the tenth destination in the Russian Federation with direct scheduled connection to Prague.



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MORE FLIGHTS TO BUCHAREST WITH TAROM

Compared to the last winter season, TAROM, a Romanian air carrier, will increase the number of its direct scheduled connections between Václav Havel Airport Prague and Bucharest, the capital of Romania, to five a week in the 2017/18 winter season. Effective 29 October 2017, the new Sunday frequency will be operated with Airbus A318 for 120 passengers.








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TRAFFIC DEVELOPMENT

	08/2016	08/2017	Y/Y	01-08/16	01-08/17	Y/Y
TOTAL PASSENGERS	1,449,549	1,703,011	17.49%	8,493,224	10,170,956	19.75%
scheduled	1,344,541	1,606,807	19.51%	8,062,049	9,806,893	21.64%
non-scheduled	105,008	96,204	-8.38%	431,175	364,063	-15.56%
PAX ON DEPARTURE	732,456	855,913	16.86%	4,275,183	5,119,747	19.76%

local passengers	691,137	817,613	18.30%	4,096,358	4,945,832	20.74%
transfer	34,197	38,046	11.26%	124,371	148,611	19.49%
transit	7,122	245	-96.43%	54,454	25,304	-53.53%
TOTAL MOVEMENTS	13,674	14,983	9.57%	90,776	98,196	8.17%
scheduled	11,279	12,632	12.00%	74,945	83,005	10.75%
non-scheduled	2,049	2,005	-2.15%	13,467	13,004	-3.44%
others	346	346	0.00	2,364	2,187	-7.49%
TOP 3 DESTINATIONS: 1. Moscow/SVO, 2. Paris/CDG, 3. Amsterdam						
TOP 3 COUNTRIES: 1. United Kingdom, 2. Greece, 3. Spain						
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