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Republic Airways Reports a 30% increase in August 2007 Traffic

Indianapolis, Indiana, (September 5, 2007) – Republic Airways Holdings (NASDAQ/NM: RJET), today reported preliminary passenger traffic results for August 2007. The company generated 813.3 million revenue passenger miles (RPMs), a 30.2% increase over the same month last year, while available seat miles (ASMs) increased 21.5% to 1.03 billion. Block hours were 60,675 in August 2007, a 19.7% increase over August 2006. Load factor was 78.7% versus 73.5% in August 2006. A total of 1,544,291 passengers were carried during the month, a 30.2% increase over the same month last year.

August

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
RPMs (000s)	813,290	624,750	30.2%
ASMs (000s)	1,033,581	850,482	21.5%
Block Hours	60,675	50,683	19.7%
Load Factor	78.7%	73.5%	5.2 pp
Passengers	1,544,291	1,185,862	30.2%

Quarter to Date

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
RPMs (000s)	1,608,363	1,273,288	26.3%
ASMs (000s)	2,024,156	1,680,641	20.4%
Block Hours	118,867	100,518	18.3%
Load Factor	79.5%	75.8%	3.7 pp
Passengers	3,043,363	2,414,112	26.1%

Year to Date

	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>Change</u>
RPMs (000s)	5,512,664	4,383,556	25.8%
ASMs (000s)	7,278,098	5,903,440	23.3%
Block Hours	434,484	358,769	21.1%
Load Factor	75.7%	74.3%	1.4 pp
Passengers	10,602,698	8,297,489	27.8%

Republic Airways Holdings, based in Indianapolis, Indiana is an airline holding company that owns Chautauqua Airlines, Republic Airlines and Shuttle America. The airlines offer scheduled passenger service on over 1,200 flights daily to 115 cities in 37 states, Canada, Mexico and Jamaica through airline services agreements with six U.S. airlines. All of the airlines' flights are operated under their airline partner brand, such as AmericanConnection, Continental Express, Delta Connection, Frontier Airlines, United Express and US Airways Express. The airlines currently employ approximately 4,400 aviation professionals and operate 208 regional jets.

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