



EMBRAER DELIVERS FIRST TWO EMBRAER 190 JETS TO US AIRWAYS

E-Jets unveiled to the U.S. airline employees at dedication ceremony

São José dos Campos, January 4, 2007 - Embraer announces that it has delivered two EMBRAER 190 E-Jets to US Airways, the first mainline carrier based in the U.S. to order the model. To celebrate the introduction of the new jet, a dedication ceremony for US Airways employees took place today at Charlotte-Douglas International Airport in Charlotte, N.C. The airline has placed firm orders for 25 EMBRAER 190 jets, plus 32 additional firm orders for the same model.



The new EMBRAER 190, configured with 11 first-class and 88 coach seats, is the second E-Jet model flying the colors of US Airways. In 2004, US Airways Express began flying the EMBRAER 170, the first member of the family. A third model, the EMBRAER 175, will be added to the fleet in 2007, when Republic Airlines will be receiving the new jets, to be operated as US Airways Express.

“Our relationship with US Airways started in June 2003, as they were the first to order the EMBRAER 170 in North America,” said Maurício Botelho, Embraer’s Chairman, President and CEO. *“We are pleased to see the company offering their passengers an aircraft of superior performance and comfort and, at the same time, taking advantage of the flexibility offered by the E-Jets family, with the consequent gains in operational efficiency”*

The E-Jets family has the highest ratio of spare parts commonality in the industry (100% between the EMBRAER 170/175; 100% between the EMBRAER 190/195; and up to 86% among the four models), which reduces inventories, streamlines procedures, eases maintenance tasks, training, and increases productivity.

“Operating aircraft from the same family will not only give us significant cost savings due to the parts commonality, but will also allow us to match capacity to demand and boost efficiency,” said US Airways President Scott Kirby.

The new jets are expected to enter service on February 11 and will initially fly between Philadelphia, Pa., and cities in the Northeast such as Boston, Mass., Hartford, Conn., Manchester, N.H., and Providence, R.I., and Dallas/Fort Worth, Texas.

PRESS OFFICES

Headquarters

Rosana Dias

rosana.dias@embraer.com.br

Cell: (+55 12) 9724 4929

Phone: (+55 12) 3927 1311

Fax: (+55 12) 3927 2411

North America

Pedro Ferraz

pedro.ferraz@embraer.com

Cell: (+1 954) 651 1871

Phone: (+1 954) 359 3414

Fax: (+1 954) 359 4755

Europe, Middle East and Africa

Stéphane Guilbaud

sguilbaud@embraer.fr

Cell: (+33 6) 7522 8519

Phone: (+33 1) 4938 4455

Fax: (+33 1) 4938 4456

Catherine Fracchia

cfracchia@embraer.fr

Cell: (+33 6) 7523 6903

Phone: (+33 1) 4938 4530

Fax: (+33 1) 4938 4456

China

Tracy Chen

tracy.chen@bjs.embraer.com

Cell: (+86) 1391 018 2281

Phone: (+86 10) 6505 5045

Fax: (+86 10) 6505 9866



The EMBRAER 190 is the third of four members of the E-Jets family, a new generation of aircraft optimized for the 70 to 110-seat segment. With their clean sheet design, Embraer's E-Jets are engineered to maximize passenger comfort with exceptional performance and superior operating economics. The Embraer E-Jets set high standards for airline service. Passengers love the aircraft's spacious interior design, with wide seats and aisle, as well as excellent cabin accommodations for roll-on bags and, especially, the absence of a middle seat.

As of September 30, 2006, the EMBRAER 170/190 family had logged 543 firm orders and 421 options. With more than 200 deliveries to date, the E-Jets are currently in service in North, Central and South America, the Caribbean, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, and China.

Embraer Image Gallery

Visit the Embraer Image Gallery at www.embraer.com.

Note to Editors

Embraer (Empresa Brasileira de Aeronáutica S.A. - NYSE: ERJ; Bovespa: EMBR3) is the world's leading manufacturer of Commercial jets up to 110 seats with 37 years of experience in designing, developing, manufacturing, selling and providing after sales support to aircraft for the Commercial Aviation, Executive Aviation, and Defense and Government segments. With headquarters in São José dos Campos, State of São Paulo, the Company has offices and customer service bases in the United States, France, Portugal, China and Singapore. Embraer is among Brazil's leading exporting companies. As of September 30, 2006, Embraer had a total workforce of 18,336 people, and its firm order backlog totaled US\$ 13.3 billion.

This document may contain projections, statements and estimates regarding circumstances or events yet to take place. Those projections and estimates are based largely on current expectations, forecasts on future events and financial tendencies that affect the Company's businesses. Those estimates are subject to risks, uncertainties and suppositions that include, among others: general economic, political and trade conditions in Brazil and in those markets where the Company does business; expectations on industry trends; the Company's investment plans; its capacity to develop and deliver products on the dates previously agreed upon, and existing and future governmental regulations. The words "believe", "may", "is able", "will be able", "intend", "continue", "anticipate", "expect" and other similar terms are supposed to identify potentialities. The Company does not feel compelled to publish updates nor to revise any estimates due to new information, future events or any other facts. In view of the inherent risks and uncertainties, such estimates, events and circumstances may not take place. The actual results can therefore differ substantially from those previously published as Company expectations.

PRESS OFFICES

Headquarters

Rosana Dias
rosana.dias@embraer.com.br
Cell: (+55 12) 9724 4929
Phone: (+55 12) 3927 1311
Fax: (+55 12) 3927 2411

North America

Pedro Ferraz
pedro.ferraz@embraer.com
Cell: (+1 954) 651 1871
Phone: (+1 954) 359 3414
Fax: (+1 954) 359 4755

Europe, Middle East and Africa

Stéphane Guilbaud
sguilbaud@embraer.fr
Cell: (+33 6) 7522 8519
Phone: (+33 1) 4938 4455
Fax: (+33 1) 4938 4456

Catherine Fracchia
cfracchia@embraer.fr
Cell: (+33 6) 7523 6903
Phone: (+33 1) 4938 4530
Fax: (+33 1) 4938 4456

China

Tracy Chen
tracy.chen@bjs.embraer.com
Cell: (+86) 1391 018 2281
Phone: (+86 10) 6505 5045
Fax: (+86 10) 6505 9866