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SACRAMENTO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND AIR-TRANSPORT IT SERVICES, INC. STAND AND DELIVER FOR EXPRESSJET AIRLINES

April 25, 2007, Sacramento, CA: Sacramento International Airport (SMF) and Air-Transport IT Services, Inc. (AirIT), a key provider of airport-airline technologies to the air transportation industry, today announced that new-entrant ExpressJet Airlines began operations at SMF on the airport provided common use passenger processing system. EASE™, AirIT's Extended Airline System Environment, is a secure and proven technology that allows multiple carriers to efficiently process passengers utilizing airport-provided network infrastructure, hardware and local support. Typically, airports assign or lease ticket counters and gates exclusively to one carrier whether that carrier utilizes them once or 10 times a day. The significance of AirIT's technology is that it allows the airport to dynamically assign key terminal assets such as ticket counters and boarding gates to air carriers on an as-need basis. The flexible assignment of these resources allows SMF to optimize utilization by allowing ExpressJet to share the counters and gates with other airlines during different times throughout the day. And unlike traditional common use terminal equipment platforms, EASE™ empowers each carrier with the ability to operate in their proprietary environment by processing passengers within their own point of sale, departure control and back office software applications.

“The EASE™ system is a unique setup that allows for seamless transition among airlines to achieve the highest level of customer service. This system will help minimize the severity of unanticipated technological irregularities and will be unnoticed by the passenger. SMF and AirIT have worked closely together with airline tenants to implement this product and I certainly believe it will live up to its reputation.” says Ben Orange, General Manager for ExpressJet Airlines at SMF.

Hardy Acree, Sacramento County Airport System Director of Airports, added his observation that "“Checking in at the remote kiosk was a snap; the entire ExpressJet check-in process took only a couple of seconds and it was a seamless experience.”

“We’re extremely pleased to have been able to respond to the airport’s request to bring ExpressJet onto the EASE™ system at SMF in such short order” said Chris Keller, Executive Vice President and COO of AirIT. “Our technical team, in close coordination with the airline and the airport, were able to have ExpressJet fully operational in less than two weeks from start to finish. EASE™ is a low cost, innovative approach to common use passenger processing and we’re always ready to do what it takes to help our airport customers demonstrate the cost effective, service responsive capabilities it delivers to their airline partners.”

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