



**U.S. Department of
Transportation**
Office of the Secretary
of Transportation

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NOTICE OF ACTION TAKEN

January 16, 1998

This serves as interim notice to the public of the action described below, taken orally by the Department official indicated; the confirming order or other decision document will be issued as soon as possible.

Application of American Trans Air, Inc. filed 1/7/98 in Docket OST-95-964 for:

XX Waiver of 14 CFR 377.10(c)

XX Renew exemption for two years under 49 U.S.C. 40109 to provide the following service:

Scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail between New York, New York, on the one hand, and Dublin and Shannon, Ireland, on the other.

Applicant rep.: Marshall S. Sinick, 202-626-6651 DOT analyst: Sylvia Moore, 202-366-6519

DISPOSITION

XX *Granted*

The above action was effective when taken: January 15, 1998, through January 15, 2000, (or until 90 days after final Department action on American Trans Air's certificate application in Docket OST-95-962, whichever occurs earlier).

XX *Under assigned authority (14 CFR 385) by:*

*Paul L. Gretch, Director
Office of International Aviation
(Petitions for review may be filed from now until
10 days after the confirming order/letter issues.
Filing of a petition shall not stay the effectiveness of
this action.)*

XX **Authority granted is consistent with the aviation agreement between the United States and Ireland.**

Except to the extent exempted or waived, this authority is subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations indicated:

XX **Holder's certificate of public convenience and necessity**

XX **Standard Exemption Conditions (attached)**

Remarks: American Trans Air requested a waiver from the 60-day advance filing requirements of 14 CFR 377 to ensure that its authority would continue in effect beyond the expiration date (February 2, 1998), pending action on its renewal application. On January 9, 1998, we orally granted the request. We confirm that action here. American Trans Air's authority, therefore, has remained in effect pending action on its renewal application.

We acted on this application without awaiting expiration of the 15-day answer period with the consent of all parties served.