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of Transportation

**Applications and/or Amendments thereto filed with the Department  
during the week ending February 20, 2004**

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**SUBPART B (formerly Subpart Q)**

THE DUE DATE FOR ANSWERS, CONFORMING APPLICATIONS, OR MOTIONS TO MODIFY SCOPE ARE SET FORTH BELOW FOR EACH APPLICATION. FOLLOWING THE ANSWER PERIOD DOT MAY PROCESS THE APPLICATION BY EXPEDITED PROCEDURES. SUCH PROCEDURES MAY CONSIST OF THE ADOPTION OF A SHOW-CAUSE ORDER, A TENTATIVE ORDER, OR IN APPROPRIATE CASES, A FINAL ORDER WITHOUT FURTHER PROCEEDINGS.

<b>Date Filed</b>	<b>Docket Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
2-20-2004	OST-2004-17172	SkyLink Airways, Inc. William Kutzke 44965 Aviation Drive, Suite 205 Dulles, VA 20166 Application of Skylink Airways, Inc. requesting a certificate of public convenience and necessity to engage in foreign scheduled and charter air transportation. Answers are due by March 15, 2004
2-20-2004	OST-2004-17171	SkyLink Airways, Inc. William Kutzke 44965 Aviation Drive, Suite 205 Dulles, VA 20166 Application of Skylink Airways, Inc. requesting a certificate of public convenience and necessity to engage in interstate scheduled and charter air transportation. Answers are due by March 15, 2004

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### Other Applications

<b>Date Filed</b>	<b>Docket Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
2-17-2004	OST-2004-17128	American Airlines, Inc. Carl Nelson, Jr. Associate General Counsel 1101 17th Street, NW., Suite 600 Washington, DC 20036 Application of American Eagle Airlines, Inc., requesting an exemption to engage in scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail between Dallas/Ft. Worth, TX and Guadalajara, Mexico.
2-17-2004	OST-2000-7477	Atlas Air, Inc. Russell Pommer Associate General Counsel and Director of Regulatory Affairs 1747 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Suite 875 Washington, DC 20006 Application of Atlas Air, Inc., requesting renewal of exemption to engage in scheduled foreign air transportation of property and mail between any point or points in the United States, via intermediate points, and a point or points in Columbia, and beyond Columbia to points in the Western Hemisphere, and to integrate that authority with its other certificate and exemption authorities.
2-17-2004	OST-2003-14393	Aerovias Caribe, S.A. de C.V. Charles Donley, II Squire, Sanders and Dempsey, LLP 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Washington, DC 20044 Application of Aerovias Caribe, S.A. de C.V., requesting renewal of its exemption to engage in scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property and mail between Mexico City, Mexico, and Austin, TX and the coterminal points Cancun/Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, and the coterminal points San Antonio/Austin, TX and a statement of authorization permitting Aerocaribe to display the two-letter designator code of Compania Mexicana de Aviacion, S.A. de C.V.

<b>Date Filed</b>	<b>Docket Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
2-18-2004	OST-2004-17139	American Airlines, Inc. Carl Nelson, Jr. 1101 17th Street, NW., Suite 600 Washington, DC 20036 Application of American Airlines, Inc., requesting permanent allocation of three additional U.S.-Brazil combination frequencies from four days a week to daily.
2-18-2004	OST-1998-3844	Northwest Airlines, Inc. Megan Rae Rosia, Managing Director Government Affairs and Associate General Counsel 901 15th Street, NW., Suite 310 Washington, DC 20005 Application of Northwest Airlines, Inc., requesting renewal of its exemption to engage in scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail between Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN and Punta Cana, Dominican Republic.
2-19-2004	OST-2002-14071	Westward Airways, Inc. Daniel Morris Blackwell Sanders Peper Martin LLP 1620 Dodge Street, Suite 2100 Omaha, NE 68102 Application of Westward Airways, Inc., requesting a waiver of the revocation-for- dormancy provisions and for a 90-day extension of the one-year period in order to commence operations.
2-20-2004	OST-2002-11856	Air Dolomiti SpA LARE Lester Bridgeman Miller, Hamilton, Snider and Odom, LLC 254 State Street Mobile, AL 36603 Application of Air Dolomiti SpA LARE, requesting renewal of its exemption to display the designator code (UA) of United Airlines, Inc., on all flights operated by Air Dolomiti SpA LARE within Europe.

**OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AVIATION (X-40)  
FOREIGN AND U.S. AIR CARRIER LICENSING DIVISIONS**

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**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
FIFTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

(Prior Approval Required By DOT Regulations (Part 212) and Orders)

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\*\* Denotes a Related Docketed Proceeding

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
TAMPA	Miami-Guyana-Surinam 52 r.t. CARGO	Laparkan Airways 6/4/03-6/4/04	Pending
Laker Airways Bahamas	Ft. Lauderdale/Orlando-Port of Spain 8 r.t. PAX	*Elite Air Services 2/12-29/04	Approved 2/17/04
ExecuJet	Exuma, Bahamas-West Palm/Miami 1 r.t. PAX	*G5 Executive 2/20-21/04	Approved 2/19/04
Monarch Airlines	Nairobi, Kenya-Newark/New York 2 o.w. PAX	*Organization for Migration 2/24-27/04	Approved 2/20/04
G5 Executive	Paris, France-Miami 1 o.w. PAX	*Chapman Freeborn 3/2-5/04	Approved 2/19/04
	Stockholm-White Plains-Lexington 1 o.w. PAX	*IFS Flight 3/1/04	Approved 2/19/04
	Toluca, Mexico-Orlando-Teterboro 1 o.w. PAX	*Air Partner 2/20-22/04	Approved 2/19/04
	Lynham, UK-Little Rock/LAX 1 o.w. PAX	*International Air Charter 3/17-19/04	Approved 2/19/04
Air Luxor	Laredo, TX-Belo Horizonte, Brazil 1 o.w. PAX	* U.S. DOJ 3/2/04	Pending
PrivatAir	Around-the-world 2 o.w. PAX	*INTRAV 4/14-5/5/04	Pending

**PRIOR AUTHORIZATION UNDER SECTION 212.9**

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
THIRD/FOURTH FREEDOM CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Charterer and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Varig	New York-Atlanta-Rio de Janeiro 1 r.t. MIXED	Destination Marketing 2/26-3/5/04	Approved 2/20/04
Japan Airlines	U.S. pts.-Japan pts. 6 r.t. PAX	*Various 3/1-4/1/04	Pending
ANA	Honolulu-Japan pts. 2 r.t. PAX	*ANA Sales & Tours 3/20-28/04	Pending

**APPLICATIONS FOR UNDOCKETED EXEMPTION AUTHORITY  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

(Exemptions Filed on Form OST 4536)  
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**Applicant**

**Description of Operations**

**Action Taken**

None

**14 CFR PART 375 PERMIT APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

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<b><u>Applicant</u></b>	<b><u>Description of Operations</u></b>	<b><u>Action Taken</u></b>
Nissan North America	*Conduct international passenger flights between the United States and foreign countries, using Bombardier CL-600-2B16 Challenger aircraft, on behalf of its corporate parent, Nissan Motor Company, for one year.	Pending
Maxim Aviation	Conduct flights out of Yolo Co. Airport, CA, carrying parachutists/skydivers, using New Zealand-registered PAC 750XL aircraft, starting 12/15/03 for one year.	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
PART 216 SPECIAL AUTHORIZATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

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**Applicant**

**Points to be Served/Period Requested**

**Action Taken**

None

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
PART CHARTER APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

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<b><u>Applicant</u></b>	<b><u>Points to be Served/ Period Requested</u></b>	<b><u>Action Taken</u></b>
VARIG	Carry transit scheduled traffic between Brazil and Japan on behalf of All Nippon Airways on VARIG's regularly-scheduled Brazil-Los Angeles-Japan single-plane flights, for one year.	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
Lan Chile	Lima-U.S. points 370 r.t. COMBI	Lan Peru S.A. 9/15/01-9/15/02	Approved thru 5/13/02 on 3/5/02 Remainder pending
	Quito/Guayaquil-Los Angeles As necessary	Lan Ecuador 1/26/04-1/26/05	Pending
Lan Chile Cargo	Chile-United States As necessary	Lan Chile 1/2/03-1/2/05	Approved thru 1/6/04 on 1/6/03 Remainder pending
Martinair Holland	U.S.-Colombia/Venezuela As necessary CARGO	TAMPA 10/1/02-9/30/05	Approved thru 3/26/04 on 1/21/04 Remainder pending
LACSA	Guayaquil, Ecuador-New York As necessary COMBI	TACA Ecuador 11/22/02-11/22/04	Approved thru 3/22/04 on 1/7/04 Remainder pending
Trans American (TACA Peru)	Ecuador-U.S. points As necessary	TACA Ecuador 12/18/02-12/18/04	Approved thru 4/19/04 on 2/3/04 Remainder pending
TACA Intl	Ecuador-U.S. As necessary	TACA Ecuador 12/18/02-12/18/04	Approved thru 3/19/04 on 2/3/04 Remainder pending

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DHL Aero Expresso	Cayman Islands-U.S. As necessary CARGO	Cayman Airways 1/3/03-1/3/05	Approved thru 5/1/04 on 2/20/04 Remainder pending
Air Atlanta Icelandic	Manchester, UK-Orlando 312 r.t. MIXED	Virgin Atlantic Airways 11/1/03-10/31/04	Approved thru 3/26/04 on 9/26/03 Remainder pending

**U.S. AIR CARRIER  
LONG TERM WET LEASE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
FedEx Express	Dublin-London-Paris As necessary CARGO (FedEx connecting U.S. traffic)	Air Contractors 9/1/03-indefinite	Pending
ABX Air	Jamaica-U.S. Points CARGO	Air Jamaica	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER  
CODE-SHARE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
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<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Points to be Served and Number of Flights</u>	<u>Lessee and Period Requested</u>	<u>Action Taken</u>
KLM	U.S.-Amsterdam-Kano, Nigeria 52 r.t. (weekly) COMBI	Northwest ** 2/1/94-2/1//95	Pending
	U.S.-Amsterdam-Belgrade Daily COMBI	Northwest 5/1/97-One Year	Pending
Aviateca	Houston-Guatemala City Daily COMBI	Continental ** 6/1/96-6/1/98	Pending
British Midland	London-Dublin Unlimited PAX	United 2/13-4/27/96	Pending
Aeroflot	Moscow-Miami via Shannon As necessary PAX	Continental 4/98-4/00	Pending
Cargolux/Lufthansa	Frankfurt/Luxembourg/Shannon/U.S. Daily CARGO	Cargolux/Lufthansa 11/14/98-11/14/00	Pending
LOT	JFK/ORD-Warsaw, Poland Daily COMBI	American 2/2/99-indefinite	Pending
Lauda Air	Munich, Germany-Miami Daily PAX	Lufthansa 6/19/98-6/19/00	Pending
Aerpostal	Miami/San Juan-Venezuela & Within Venezuela Daily COMBI	American Indefinite	Pending
Virgin Atlantic	9 U.S. Points-London/Manchester Daily COMBI	Continental Airlines 10/3/98-two years	Pending

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CODE-SHARE APPLICATIONS ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
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United	Miami-Caracas, Venezuela Daily COMBI (No local traffic)	Air Canada 1/4/99-indefinite	Pending
Amerijet	Miami-Pointe a Pitre-Fort de France 1 weekly CARGO	Air France ** One Year	Pending
American	Miami-Asuncion, Paraguay Daily COMBI	TAM 9/23/98-indefinite	Pending
	U.S.-Venezuela; within U.S. for through traffic Daily COMBI	Aerpostal Indefinite	Pending

**FOREIGN AIR CARRIER INTERMODAL CARGO APPLICATIONS  
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

(Approvals Required by Part 222 of DOT Regulations)

Initial Applications

<u>Name</u>	<u>Citizenship</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Answers Due</u>	<u>Status</u>
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**NOTE:** Objections to the above application(s) should be addressed to: the U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, Room 6412, 400 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590, by the answer date listed above.

**U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR DESIGNATION/NOTIFICATION FILED PURSUANT  
TO AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT  
ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING  
FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

<b><u>Name and Address of Applicant</u></b>	<b><u>Markets for Which Approval is Sought</u></b>	<b><u>Response Due</u></b>
Continental Express/ExpressJet Crowell & Moring 1001 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, DC 20004	Houston-Monclova (direct-carrier service)	2/13/04
Northwest Airlines Suite 310 901 15 <sup>th</sup> Street NW Washington, DC 20005	Houston-Monclova (code-share service w/ExpressJet)	2/20/04
Continental Express/ExpressJet Crowell & Moring 1001 Pennsylvania Ave, NW Washington, DC 20004	Houston-Oaxaca/Puebla/Toluca and San Antonio/McAllen- Mexico City	2/20/04

Note: Designation requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file competing requests or responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division (X-44), 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.

**U.S.-MEXICO DORMANCY NOTICES**<sup>1</sup>  
**ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING**  
**FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

<b><u>Date of Letter</u></b>	<b><u>Carrier</u></b>	<b><u>Market(s) Identified as Dormant</u></b>
1/29/04	Hawaiian Airlines	Los Angeles-Puerto Vallarta
2/9/04	Sun Country Airlines	Minneapolis/St. Paul-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Dallas/Ft. Worth-Puerto Vallarta Dallas/Ft. Worth-Cozumel
2/13/04	Alaska Airlines	Phoenix-Puerto Vallarta Phoenix-San Jose del Cabo
2/18/04	Continental Airlines	Houston-Mazatlan Houston-Tampico Houston-Veracruz Detroit-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Los Angeles-Ixtapa/Zihuatanejo Los Angeles-La Paz Los Angeles-Mazatlan Los Angeles-Puerto Vallarta Los Angeles-San Jose del Cabo Mission/McAllen/Edinburg-Mexico City Memphis-Mexico City Memphis-Puerto Vallarta San Antonio-Mexico City/Toluca San Diego-San Jose del Cabo San Francisco-Mazatlan San Francisco-Puerto Vallarta San Francisco-San Jose del Cabo Tampa-Cancun

<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. We have directed carriers to file such notices as soon as the decision not to inaugurate service or to discontinue service (other than seasonally) is made, but in no case later than the 91st day of dormancy.

**U.S.-MEXICO NOTICES OF SEASONAL/INTERMITTENT SERVICES** <sup>1</sup>  
**ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING**  
**FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

<b><u>Date of Letter</u></b>	<b><u>Carrier</u></b>	<b><u>Market(s) Identified as Seasonal/Intermittent</u></b>
None		

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Order 96-11-24, U.S. carriers certificated for all-cargo services under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to identify seasonal/intermittent services.

**U.S.-CARRIER REQUESTS TO CONVERT SERVICES**  
**CODE-SHARE/DIRECT-CARRIER<sup>1</sup>**  
**ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING**  
**FEBRUARY 20, 2004**

<b><u>Date of Letter</u></b>	<b><u>Carrier</u></b>	<b><u>Market</u></b>	<b><u>Type of Service (From/To)</u></b>	<b><u>Answers Due</u></b>
None				

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Order 99-6-6, U.S. carriers are required to file notice with the Department for approval to convert authorized nonstop transborder code-share operations from direct carrier service (designation), to service involving only the displaying of its code on another Mexican or U.S. carrier's flights (code-share only authorization), or vice versa.

**U.S. CARRIER REQUESTS FOR EXTENSION OF 90-DAY START-UP DATE**  
**CONDITION OR REQUEST TO REACTIVE DORMANT EXEMPTION AUTHORITY**  
**PURSUANT TO AMENDED U.S.-MEXICO AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT,**  
**ON HAND DURING WEEK ENDING**  
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<b><u>Name and Address</u></b> <b><u>of Carrier</u></b>	<b><u>Markets for Which</u></b> <b><u>Extension is Sought *</u></b>	<b><u>Disposition</u></b>
None		

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<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to Order 88-10-30, U.S. carriers certificated/designated under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement are required to notify the Department if they fail to inaugurate service within the 90-day start-up period, or when discontinuing service on a U.S.-Mexico city pair for 90 days or longer. In Order 88-10-30, we stated that we would entertain requests for extensions/exemption from the 90-day start-up period for good cause shown. Such requests are noticed here so that other carriers may determine if they wish to file responses. Objections to the above request(s) should be addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, U.S. Air Carrier Licensing Division, X-44, 400 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, D.C. 20590, by the response date listed above.