

Frontier Reports Preliminary Traffic for September 2008

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Frontier Airlines Holdings, Inc. (OTC:FRNTQ) (BULLETIN BOARD: FRNTQ) today announced increases in passenger yield, passenger revenue per seat mile and passenger load factor compared to the same period in 2007.

These increases were reported in the company's preliminary traffic results for September 2008 for both Frontier's mainline operation as well as its wholly-owned subsidiary, Lynx Aviation.

Mainline Results:

For September 2008, Frontier reported passenger yield of 10.60 cents, an 8.3 percent increase from the same period last year. Its passenger revenue per available seat mile was 8.78 cents, up 1.15 cents or 15.1 percent from September 2007.

The airline carried 799,233 passengers, a 2.9 percent decrease from September 2007. For the month of September 2008, the airline's average length of haul decreased 5.5 percent to 891 miles, compared to the same period last year. Revenue passenger miles decreased 8.3 percent to 711,928,000 for September 2008 from the same period last year. Available seat miles decreased 13.7 percent to 859,920,000 for September 2008 from the same period last year. This resulted in a load factor for September 2008 of 82.8 percent, an increase of 4.9 points from September 2007.

Lynx Aviation Results:

For September 2008, Lynx Aviation reported revenue passenger miles of 32,210,000 and available seat miles of 52,151,000. This resulted in a load factor for September 2008 of 61.8 percent. Lynx Aviation carried 90,992 passengers with a passenger yield of 21.38 cents. Lynx Aviation passenger revenue per available seat mile was 13.20 cents with an average length of haul of 354 miles.

Mainline	September 2008	September 2007	Increase/ (Decrease)	Percent
Available Seat Miles	859,920,000	996,914,000	(136,994,000)	(13.7%)
Revenue Passenger Miles	711,928,000	776,607,000	(64,679,000)	(8.3%)
Load Factor	82.8%	77.9%	4.9 points	NA
Revenue				
Passengers Carried	799,233	823,487	(24,254)	(2.9%)
**Passenger Yield (cents)	10.60	9.79	0.81	8.3%
**Passenger Revenue Per Avail. Seat Mile (cents)	8.78	7.63	1.15	15.1%
Average Length of Haul	891	943	(52)	(5.5%)
	Fiscal Year- to- Date 2009	Fiscal Year- to- Date 2008	Increase/ (Decrease)	Percent
Available Seat Miles	6,231,435,000	6,418,382,000	(186,947,000)	(2.9%)
Revenue Passenger Miles	5,275,596,000	5,329,511,000	(53,915,000)	(1.0%)
Load Factor	84.7%	83.0%	1.7 points	NA
Revenue				
Passengers Carried	5,715,241	5,623,489	91,752	1.6%
**Passenger Yield (cents)	10.99	10.81	0.18	1.7%
**Passenger Revenue Per Avail. Seat Mile (cents)	9.30	8.98	0.32	3.6%
Average Length of Haul	923	948	(25)	(2.6%)
	Calendar Year-to-Date 2008	Calendar Year-to-Date 2007	Increase/ (Decrease)	Percent
Available Seat Miles	9,345,862,000	9,355,416,000	(9,554,000)	(0.1%)
Revenue Passenger Miles	7,716,379,000	7,418,700,000	297,679,000	4.0%
Load Factor	82.6%	79.3%	3.3 points	NA
Revenue				
Passengers Carried	8,192,019	7,846,013	346,006	4.4%
**Passenger Yield (cents)	10.92	10.82	0.1	0.9%
**Passenger Revenue Per Avail. Seat Mile (cents)	9.02	8.58	0.44	5.1%

Average Length of Haul	942	946	(4)	(0.4%)
	Quarter ended	Quarter ended	Increase/	Percent
	September	September	(Decrease)	
	2008	2007		
Available Seat Miles	3,047,145,000	3,232,320,000	(185,175,000)	(5.7%)
Revenue Passenger Miles	2,612,977,000	2,738,605,000	(125,628,000)	(4.6%)
Load Factor	85.8%	84.7%	1.1 points	NA
Revenue Passengers Carried	2,884,959	2,901,077	(16,118)	(0.6%)
**Passenger Yield (cents)	11.44	10.95	0.49	4.5%
**Passenger Revenue Per Avail. Seat Mile (cents)	9.81	9.28	0.53	5.7%
Average Length of Haul	906	944	(38)	(4.0%)
Lynx Aviation				
	September	September	Increase/	Percent
	2008	2007	(Decrease)	
Available Seat Miles (ASM)	52,151,000	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passenger Miles	32,210,000	NA	NA	NA
Load Factor	61.8%	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passengers Carried	90,992	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Yield (cents)	21.38	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Revenue Per ASM (cents)	13.20	NA	NA	NA
Average Length of Haul	354	NA	NA	NA
	Fiscal Year-	Fiscal Year-	Increase/	Percent
	to-Date 2009	to-Date 2008	(Decrease)	
Available Seat Miles	287,694,000	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passenger Miles	186,431,000	NA	NA	NA
Load Factor	64.8%	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passengers Carried	537,845	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Yield (cents)	22.49	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Revenue Per ASM (cents)	14.58	NA	NA	NA
Average Length of Haul	347	NA	NA	NA
	Calendar Year-	Calendar	Increase/	Percent
	to-Date	Year-to-Date	(Decrease)	
	2008	2007		
Available Seat Miles	435,919,000	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passenger Miles	275,986,000	NA	NA	NA
Load Factor	63.3%	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passengers Carried	740,297	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Yield (cents)	21.11	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Revenue Per ASM (cents)	13.37	NA	NA	NA
Average Length of Haul	373	NA	NA	NA
	Quarter	Quarter	Increase/	Percent
	ended	ended	(Decrease)	
	September	September		
	2008	2007		
Available Seat Miles	154,986,000	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passenger Miles	104,307,000	NA	NA	NA
Load Factor	67.3%	NA	NA	NA
Revenue Passengers Carried	302,678	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Yield (cents)	22.97	NA	NA	NA
**Passenger Revenue Per Avail. Seat Mile (cents)	15.46	NA	NA	NA
Average Length of Haul	345	NA	NA	NA

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