

## Media Release

## Cargolux celebrates 10 years of healthcare flights to Indianapolis

## Successful cooperation with DB Schenker

Luxembourg, 19 March 2015 – Looking back on 10 years of air cargo services with healthcare shipments between Luxembourg and Indianapolis in cooperation with DB Schenker, the world's second largest transportation and logistics services provider, Cargolux operated its first full charter flight carrying a critical and valuable cargo of pharmaceuticals to the United States in March. The flight represents the first full 747 load of pharma products that the Luxembourg airline carries on this route.

Cargolux and DB Schenker started the first Indianapolis service in 2005 with a weekly flight and added a second weekly flight the year after. Ten years later, Cargolux serves 15 destinations with healthcare flights for DB Schenker.

The 36 pallets of pharmaceuticals carried on 5 March required a constant ambient temperature of 20° C throughout the aircraft, made possible by the four independently adjustable air conditioning zones in Cargolux's 747 freighters, who are ideally suited for this and other perishable, as well as livestock, shipments. Additionally, each pallet was protected by Tyvek covers, especially designed to maintain the temperature of temperature-sensitive cargoes.

## About Cargolux Airlines International

Cargolux, based in Luxembourg, is Europe's leading all-cargo airline with a modern and efficient fleet composed of 12 Boeing 747-8 freighters and 11 Boeing 747-400 freighters. The Cargolux worldwide network covers 90 destinations, some 70 of which are served on scheduled all-cargo flights. The company has more than 85 offices in over 50 countries, and operates an extensive global trucking network to more than 250 destinations as well as full and part-charter services. Cargolux also offers third-party maintenance at its modern two-bay maintenance hangar in Luxembourg. The company is specialized in B747 line and hangar maintenance up to and including C-Checks. It offers a range of specialized maintenance services and holds line maintenance approval for B777 aircraft. Cargolux employs over 1,500 staff worldwide.

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