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WORLDWIDE FLIGHT SERVICES (WFS) INCREASES SCANDINAVIA PRESENCE WITH CARGO HANDLING OPERATION IN STOCKHOLM

Worldwide Flight Services (WFS) is to open a new independent air cargo handling operation at Stockholm Arlanda Airport on June 1st 2012.

The world's largest air cargo handling organisation has signed a long-term agreement with airport operator Swedavia. WFS is locating its operation in a 3000 m² airside warehouse fully equipped with all the features required to deliver a modern, fast and professional handling product.

The move is the next step in WFS' expansion in Scandinavia. In 2006, it entered the Nordic air cargo market with the opening of a newly-build cargo centre in Copenhagen. Since then, it has further expanded its handling facility with 5000 m² of additional warehouse and office space and now handles some 70,000 tons of flown and trucked cargo a year in Denmark for over 50 airlines.

Marc Claesen, WFS' Vice President for Northern Europe, said:

“Copenhagen has been a great success story for WFS and for the customers we serve in Denmark and we expect our high quality standards and broad experience to be as appealing to airlines in Sweden. Opening a WFS operation at Stockholm Arlanda is a logical next step in our northern Europe development plans. Our success in the region is built not just on our experience but also our respect for the specific and traditional labour conditions and market requirements unique to Scandinavia.”

This newest WFS station will be connected to, and fully integrated with, the WFS road feeder network that links all WFS European stations. Using dedicated truck services, it offers airline customers extensive online and off-line connectivity.

Martijn de Regt, who has over 20 years experience of working with the leading freight organisations Panalpina and ASP Logistics, will head up the new Stockholm operation. He will work closely with WFS' General Manager for Scandinavia, Thomas Petersen.

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