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Norwegian Reports Positive November Traffic Figures

Norwegian's (NAS) passenger growth continued in November, up 12 percent compared with the same month previous year.

The airline flew 1,458,872 passengers in November. The total passenger traffic (RPK) increased by 21 percent and the total capacity (ASK) increased by 23 percent. The unit revenue also developed positively, with a RASK increase of 5 percent. The load factor was 76 percent in November.

"I am pleased with November's traffic figures, particularly with the positive

development in unit revenue given the high capacity increase in a seasonally slow period of the year. The passenger growth proves that our low fares, extensive route network, brand-new and more eco-friendly aircraft with better comfort and free inflight WiFi are well received,” said Norwegian’s CEO Bjørn Kjos.

The company operated 99.8 percent of its scheduled flights this month, whereof 85.5 percent departed on time.

For more detailed information, please see pdf attached.

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Norwegian Air Shuttle ASA, commercially branded “Norwegian,” is a public low-cost airline noted on the Oslo Stock Exchange. The company is the second largest airline in Scandinavia, and has a route portfolio that stretches across Europe into North Africa and the Middle East. In May 2013 it will even commence long-haul flights from Scandinavia to the US and Asia. With competitive prices and customer friendly solutions and service, the company has experienced significant growth over the previous years. With close to 16 million passengers in 2011, Norwegian is the 3rd largest low-cost airline in Europe. Norwegian currently operates 68 aircraft on 330 routes to 120 destinations and employs approximately 2,500 people. Norwegian’s fleet has an average age of 4,9 years; the company currently has 280 aircraft on order.

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