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NEWS RELEASE

**PRIVATAIR CONTINUES WITH EXPANSION OF BOTH FLEET AND STAFF – RANGE OF SOLUTIONS INCREASED FOR CHARTER CLIENTS**

International business aviation specialist PrivatAir announced today that it had continued with solid expansion in the past five months, adding five aircraft to its charter and managed fleet and appointing eight operations and sales team members to its U.S. Regional Headquarters in Stratford, CT.

The further development of the operations in the charter market, aimed at providing solutions for any private jet travel requirement, include additions such as a Gulfstream 550 based in Raleigh, North Carolina, an Embraer Legacy based in Sarasota, Florida, a Falcon 2000EX based in Boca Raton, Florida, and a Hawker 400XP and King Air 350 based in San Juan, Puerto Rico. These five aircraft, representative of the full range of aircraft currently available on the charter market are all late models, further decreasing the average age of PrivatAir's already impressive fleet.

Mark Reichin, PrivatAir's Senior Vice President of Charter Sales said, "Adding any aircraft to a fleet is exciting – further, these specific recent additions are all extremely hot on the market. We are now one of only few operators of the G550, and the Falcon 2000EX, the Hawker 400XP, and the King Air 350 fit perfectly into niches in our fleet. Not only are we assuring different options with these aircraft, but we are able to continue our geographic coverage of the North American market."

The appointment of eight operations and sales team members to PrivatAir's U.S. Regional Headquarters in Stratford, CT include; Vice President of Select Membership Sales, Jeanne Muzio; Manager of Client Services, Loryn Cooke; Charter Sales Representative, Chris Kelley; Flight Following Manager, Jonathan Scarborough and Flight Followers, Larry Mueller, Frank Dwelley, Curtis Kramer and Nicola Spence. Mark Reichin, Senior VP of Charter Sales said, "All of these individuals have an impressive track record of successful aviation experience which should allow them to make a significant contribution to the future development of our activities. Rather than just adding resources when they are required, we are ensuring that we have them available for the expansion strategy which we have in place, making sure that the service provided to our customers stays at the consistently high level which they have come to expect of our company."

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Editor's Note

PrivatAir is a leading international business aviation group with headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland, operating bases in Zurich, Düsseldorf, Hamburg and Munich (Germany) and throughout the USA. The Group's services include Private Charter for VIPs and executives, Private Airline Services, Ground Services and Aircraft Sales & Management. PrivatAir manages a fleet of over 50 aircraft ranging from a Beech King Air to an executive Boeing 757, operating out of bases in Europe and the USA. The Group was the first commercial operator of the new generation of Boeing ultra-long-range executive aircraft, the Boeing Business Jet (BBJ 1 and 2) and also operates 4 Airbus A319 aircraft.

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