

JAL & Korean Air to Expand Code Share Partnership

Tokyo, Thursday March 13, 2006: Japan Airlines (JAL) and Korean Air (KAL) have agreed to expand their code share partnership from March 26, 2006. As a result, the total number of code share routes operated by the two airlines will increase from 7 routes and 104 flights per week to 9 routes and 266 flights per week (on a one-way basis).

In addition to existing code share agreements, the carriers will launch extra code share flights between Tokyo, Osaka (Kansai), Nagoya and Seoul. On a one-way basis, the two airlines will code share on an additional 84 flights per week on the Narita – Seoul route, 56 flights per week on the Kansai – Seoul route, and 28 flights per week on the Nagoya (Chubu) – Seoul route. (Subject to government approval).

By strengthening their code sharing partnership, JAL, Asia's largest airline group, and Korean Air, the biggest Korean airline, are building an extensive network to increase customer convenience.



On the four flights per week code share service between Komatsu and Seoul, KAL operated aircraft will replace JAL aircraft and, as already announced, JAL will suspend its three flights per week Hiroshima - Seoul service on March 24, 2006.

By the end of March 2006, JAL's Korea network, including code share flights, will serve the cities of Seoul and Busan, linking eight cities in Japan to Korea.

Korean Air and JAL started code share operations on August 1, 2004 on routes between Komatsu, Niigata, Sapporo and Seoul. Nagoya-Busan code share flights started on March 27, 2005 followed by Hiroshima and Kagoshima=Seoul flights on August 2, and Fukuoka=Seoul on October 3, 2005.

New Korean Air (KE) & Japan Airlines (JL) Code Share Flights Effective Date : March 26, 2006

Flight Number	Route	Depart – Arrive (Local time)	Frequency	Aircraft	Operating airline	Note
JL951/ KE5702	Narita- Seoul	1000-1230	Daily	B744*	JAL	New
JL953/ KE5704	Narita- Seoul	1425-1655	Daily	B767	JAL	New
JL959/ KE5002	Narita- Seoul	1810-2040	Daily	B773*	JAL	New
KE706/ JL5251	Narita- Seoul	0930-1155	Daily	B744	KAL	New
KE702/ JL5253	Narita- Seoul	1255-1520	Daily	B772	KAL	New
KE002/ JL5255	Narita- Seoul	1700-1925	Daily	B772	KAL	New
JL950/ KE5001	Seoul - Narita	0855-1120	Daily	B773*	JAL	New
JL952/ KE5701	Seoul - Narita	1345-1610	Daily	B744*	JAL	New
JL954/ KE5703	Seoul - Narita	1810-2035	Daily	B767	JAL	New
KE703/ JL5250	Seoul - Narita	1015-1230	Daily	B773	KAL	New
KE001/ JL5252	Seoul - Narita	1115-1330	Daily	B772	KAL	New
KE705/ JL5254	Seoul - Narita	1840-2055	Daily	B744	KAL	New
JL961/ KE5722	Kansai- Seoul	0935-1125	Daily	B767	JAL	New
JL963/ KE5724	Kansai- Seoul	1505-1655	Daily	B767	JAL	New
KE722/ JL5261	Kansai- Seoul	0940-1130	Daily	B744*	KAL	New

KE724/ JL5263	Kansai- Seoul	1340-1530	Daily	A333	KAL	New
JL962/ KE5721	Seoul- Kansai	1220-1400	Daily	B767	JAL	New
JL964/ KE5723	Seoul- Kansai	1755-1935	Daily	B767	JAL	New
KE723/ JL5260	Seoul- Kansai	0950-1130	Daily	A333	KAL	New
KE725/ JL5262	Seoul- Kansai	1440-1620	Daily	A333	KAL	New
JL983/ KE5752	Nagoya - Seoul	0930-1135	Daily	A767	JAL	New
KE758/ JL5267	Nagoya - Seoul	1140-1340	Daily	A333	KAL	New
JL984/ KE5751	Seoul - Nagoya	1505-1700	Daily	B767	JAL	New
KE757/ JL5266	Seoul - Nagoya	0845-1030	Daily	A333	KAL	New

* Other aircraft types operated on this route.

** Narita Airport: Terminal 2 - JAL operated flights/ Terminal 1 – KAL operated flights.

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