

Dear Chairman LaHood:

RE: OST-2010-0018 US-Tokyo (Haneda) Combination Services Allocation Proceeding

As a member of the Association of Flight Attendants-CWA and employee of Delta Air Lines I am asking you to approve our application for the slots in Haneda Japan.

From 1947 to 1978, pre-merger Northwest Airline crew members served Asia from Haneda, becoming a strong presence in the Asian market, and in the process, also supporting our economy by opening the door to Japan. Over time Northwest Airlines invested a great amount of resources since the first flight left the United States for Haneda, establishing strong relationships in the Asian market that have lasted through the years.

Since merging with Delta, we have become one great airline and in our efforts to continue providing both our Asian and U.S. customers with the best possible service, it is essential we be approved for these slots.

United is part of the Star Alliance along with All Nippon Airways, serving Haneda, while American is part of the oneworld alliance along with Japan Airlines, also serving Haneda. With Haneda being the fourth-busiest airport in the world, it is already a popular destination for our business travelers, and with our application approval, it will provide a more competitive market.

We also believe over time, that we will also have the ability to forge alliances with smaller Japanese carriers at Haneda, making the transition from the United States to Asian domestic destinations a smooth process.

Unlike many of the crews working the flights that are provided by the alliance partners of U.S carriers with existing service to Haneda, jobs on flights operated by Delta will be American jobs. In a time of high unemployment, with the DOT's approval, we will be able to keep jobs in the United States, rather than outsourcing work to foreign nationals.

As a member of the Association of Flight Attendants –CWA and employee of the new Delta, I am asking that you approve our application for these new routes.

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