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America West Airlines and Royal Jordanian Airline Announce Marketing Alliance



America West Airlines, the nation's second largest low-cost carrier, announced that it has received Department of Transportation (DOT) authorization to launch a code-share partnership with Royal Jordanian Airline, the full-service, international carrier serving more than 50 destinations in the Middle East, Far East, North Africa, Europe and North America.

Beginning in October 2004, Royal Jordanian will place its two-letter code on America West flights from New York/JFK, Chicago/O'Hare and Detroit to America West's hubs in Phoenix and Las Vegas, as well as on America West transcontinental flights from New York JFK to San Francisco and Los Angeles. From America West's hubs, customers can also connect to more than 90 destinations in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Costa Rica. For travel reservations, customers can contact Royal Jordanian at 1-800-223-0470 or a professional travel agent.

Customers of both airlines will be able to take advantage of additional frequent flyer and lounge access opportunities. Members of America West's award-winning FlightFund program and Royal Jordanian's Royal Plus program will be able to accrue and redeem miles on all scheduled flights operated by either airline. Additionally, America West Club members and Royal Jordanian elite members will be able to enjoy access to both airlines' lounges.

Royal Jordanian Vice Chairman, President and CEO Samer Majali said, "This code-share agreement is a big win for travelers and both airlines. Royal Jordanian passengers arriving in the USA will enjoy more -- and more timely -- connections to more cities across the continent than ever before. And, pending government approval,

America West customers will soon have the opportunity to experience Royal Jordanian's hallmark hospitality and acclaimed inflight service to numerous points across the world."

Code-sharing provides customers with more travel options by allowing one carrier to sell flights on another carrier as its own by attaching its two-letter booking code to the other carrier's flights listed in worldwide computer reservations systems and online travel sites.

The United States and Jordan signed an "open skies" treaty in 1996, the first such treaty for the U.S. with an aviation partner outside of Europe. Under terms of the treaty, airlines from either country are provided open access and unrestricted capacity and frequency rights to points in both countries.

Source: America West Airlines/Royal Jordanian

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