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EL AL ISRAEL AIRLINES NEGOTIATIONS UPDATE

The parties met on Tuesday, February 3, 2009, in the offices of El Al's Attorney, Roger Briton. Present for the Company were Yossi Benbassat, Human Resources Manager and Roger Briton, the Company's Attorney. Present for the Union were Norman Riker, General Chairman and Lenny Costa and Howard Crombie, Negotiating Committee Members.

Since opening negotiations on August 14, 2008, there has been no progress made on any of the Union's proposals. Therefore, the Company and the Union have agreed to file jointly for mediation through the National Mediation Board.

We will keep you advised of any new developments as they occur. Your patience and continued support are appreciated.

With best wishes, we remain

Sincerely and fraternally,

Norman Riker
GENERAL CHAIRMAN

Lenny Costa Howard Crombie
NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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