

## PAKISTAN AIRLINE PILOT'S ASSOCIATION AFFILIATED WITH : INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF AIR LINE PILOTS' ASSOCIATIONS & INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT WORKERS FEDERATION.

## <u>INFO</u>

ALL B-777 CREW:

MARCH 8, 2006.

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PIA has started operating non-stop flights to Toronto and New York. The second B-777 LR expected to arrive in the last week of March would give the Airline further flexibility to add new destinations to its long haul operation.

PALPA Executive Committee had been pestering the CAA-Pakistan and the Flight Operations Department for a long time to formulate an ANO before the first scheduled non-stop flight. Unfortunately till the eve of such operations, no concrete ANO has been finalized by the CAA. However, the authorization has been given by the Regulatory body to PIA to adhere to the current IFALPA document. Though comprehensive in nature, there must have been certain aspects overlooked in the said document which would be typical and pertinent to our long-range operation.

At its own end, PALPA Executive Committee has had meetings with the concerned officials elucidate the grey areas to spell out a clear cut policy. Till that is achieved, we would welcome your experience of non-stop flights, suggestions and comments. Your valuable input would help us get the valid suggestions incorporated in the ANO which is being evolved and formulated.

You may use any means of communication to get your data passed on to us. Your prompt response would be highly appreciated. The email, fax and phone numbers are written on the current directory but for your convenience these are mentioned at the bottom of this letter.

Your taking out time for this exercise would be appreciated.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

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