

AIR TRANSPORT SERVICES

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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT RELATING TO AIR SERVICES BETWEEN THEIR RESPECTIVE TERRITORIES

The Government of the United States of America and the Belgian Government,
considering

—that the possibilities of commercial aviation as a means of transport have greatly increased,
—that it is desirable to organize the international air services in a safe and orderly manner and to further as much as possible the development of international cooperation in this field, and
—that the Agreements hitherto contracted between the two governments with respect to the operation of air services should be replaced by a more general agreement in harmony with the new conditions of air transport, have appointed their representatives, who, duly authorized, have agreed upon the following:

ARTICLE I

The Contracting Parties grant to each other the rights specified in the Annex hereto for the establishment of the international air services set forth in that Annex, or as amended in accordance with Article XII of the present Agreement (hereinafter referred to as the “agreed services”).

ARTICLE II

a) The agreed services may be inaugurated immediately or at a later date at the option of the Contracting Party to whom the rights are granted, on condition that:

(1) the Contracting Party to whom the rights have been granted shall have designated an air carrier or carriers for the specified route or routes.