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**NATIONAL AIRLINES COUNCIL OF CANADA WELCOMES
FEDERAL ANNOUNCEMENT FOR ALL-INCLUSIVE AIRFARE PRICING INITIATIVE**

OTTAWA, December 16, 2011 – The National Airlines Council of Canada (NACC) welcomes today’s announcement by the Minister of State (Transport) and Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Transport, Infrastructure and Communities, regarding proposed regulations that would require air carriers to include all taxes and fees in their advertised airfare prices in Canada.

The NACC looks forward to participating in the process and commends Minister Fletcher for moving the initiative forward. This is a much-welcomed step to facilitate consumers’ access to full cost airfares, on the basis that new regulations will be applicable to all airlines, domestic and international, with which Canadian carriers compete.

The National Airlines Council of Canada is a trade association founded by Canada’s largest commercial airlines in order to ensure safe, sustainable and competitive air travel for Canadian consumers.

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