

## **News Releases** Air Canada Adds Iceland to Growing International Network for Summer 2017

MONTREAL, Feb. 1, 2017 /CNW Telbec/ - Air Canada announced today it will launch daily summer seasonal service fromCanada to Reykjavik, Iceland. Flights will operate four times and three times weekly from the carrier'sToronto and Montreal hubs respectively, subject to government approvals. Special introductory fares start as low as \$698 round trip, all in, and tickets are now available for purchase at <u>aircanada.com</u> and through travel agents.

"Iceland is an emerging and exciting vacation destination growing in popularity with its array of outdoor leisure and cultural adventures, and we're looking forward to flying to the Land of Fire and Ice this summer," said Benjamin Smith, President, Passenger Airlines at Air Canada. "As the only Canadian airline and only Star Alliance carrier in North America to fly to Iceland, customers from across Canada and the United States can connect seamlessly and easily to these new non-stop flights from our Toronto and Montreal hubs."

The new non-stop services will be operated by Air Canada Rouge starting injune 2017 with 136-seat A319 aircraft offering a choice of premium and economy classes of service. All flights provide for Aeroplan accumulation and redemption, Star Alliance reciprocal benefits and, for eligible customers, priority check-in, Maple Leaf Lounge access at the Toronto and Montreal hubs, priority boarding and other benefits.

| Flight | From                     | Time      | То                       | Time       | Days of operation   | Schedule dates  |
|--------|--------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| AC1970 | Toronto (YYZ)            | 9:00 p.m. | Reykjavik/Keflavik (KEF) | 6:50 a.m.  | Mon, Wed, Thur,     | June 21 - Oct 7 |
|        |                          |           |                          | (+1 day)   | Sat                 |                 |
| AC1971 | Reykjavik/Keflavik (KEF) | 8:30 a.m. | Toronto (YYZ)            | 10:20 a.m. | Tue, Thur, Fri, Sun | June 22 - Oct 8 |
| AC1972 | Montreal (YUL)           | 9:35 p.m. | Reykjavik/Keflavik (KEF) | 6:50 a.m.  | Tue, Fri, Sun       | June 23 - Oct 8 |
|        |                          |           |                          | (+1 day)   |                     |                 |
| AC1973 | Reykjavik/Keflavik (KEF) | 8:30 a.m. | Montreal (YUL)           | 9:45 a.m.  | Mon, Wed, Sat       | June 24 - Oct 9 |

In 2017, Air Canada continues its global strategic expansion and will launch new international services between Toronto-Mumbai, Toronto-Berlin, Toronto- Reykjavik, Montreal-Shanghai, Montreal-Algiers, Montreal-Marseille, Montreal-Reykjavik, Vancouver-Taipei, Vancouver-Nagoya, Vancouver-Frankfurt, and Vancouver-London Gatwick.

In 2016, the airline started new services betweenToronto-Seoul, Toronto-London Gatwick, Toronto-Prague, Toronto-Budapest, Toronto-Warsaw, Toronto-Glasgow, Montreal-Casablanca, Montreal-Lyon, Vancouver-Delhi, Vancouver-Brisbane and Vancouver-Dublin.

## About Air Canada

Air Canada is Canada's largest domestic and international airline serving more than 200 airports on six continents. Canada's flag carrier is among the 20 largest airlines in the world and in 2016 served more than 45 million customers. Air Canada provides scheduled passenger service directly to 64 airports in Canada, 57 in the United States and 91 in Europe, the Middle East, Africa, Asia, Australia, the Caribbean, Mexico, Central America and South America. Air Canada is a founding member of Star Alliance, the world's most comprehensive air transportation network serving 1,330 airports in 192 countries. Air Canada is the only international network carrier in North America to receive a Four-Star ranking according to independent U.K. research firm Skytrax. For more information, please visit: www.aircanada.com, follow @AirCanada on Twitter and join Air Canada on Facebook.

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