



**ALLEGIANT REPORTS SEPTEMBER, THIRD QUARTER 2009 TRAFFIC**

**Las Vegas, Nev., Oct. 5, 2009/PRNewswire** -- Allegiant Air, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Allegiant Travel Company (NASDAQ:ALGT), today reported preliminary passenger traffic results for September and third quarter 2009.

**Scheduled Service**

	<u>Sep. 2009</u>	<u>Sep. 2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Passengers	288,761	188,465	53.2%
Revenue passenger miles (000)	264,729	165,838	59.6%
Available seat miles (000)	294,737	180,622	63.2%
Load factor	89.8%	91.8%	(2.0) pts
Departures	2,203	1,398	57.6%
Average stage length (miles)	893	863	3.5%
	<u>3Q09</u>	<u>3Q08</u>	<u>Change</u>
Passengers	1,208,306	854,833	41.3%
Revenue passenger miles (000)	1,095,291	745,188	47.0%
Available seat miles (000)	1,218,951	794,730	53.4%
Load factor	89.9%	93.8%	(3.9) pts
Departures	9,181	6,223	47.5%
Average stage length (miles)	888	856	3.7%

### Total System\*

	<u>Sep. 2009</u>	<u>Sep. 2008</u>	<u>Change</u>
Passengers	330,382	222,788	48.3%
Revenue passenger miles (000)	292,229	200,078	46.1%
Available seat miles (000)	343,011	228,339	50.2%
Load factor	85.2%	87.6%	(2.4) pts
Departures	2,866	1,889	51.7%
Average stage length (miles)	805	815	-1.2%

  

	<u>3Q09</u>	<u>3Q08</u>	<u>Change</u>
Passengers	1,339,407	974,600	37.4%
Revenue passenger miles (000)	1,173,831	858,100	36.8%
Available seat miles (000)	1,350,284	946,366	42.7%
Load factor	86.9%	90.7%	(3.8) pts
Departures	11,117	7,835	41.9%
Average stage length (miles)	818	815	0.4%

*\*Total system includes scheduled service, fixed fee contract and non-revenue flying.*

### **About the Company**

Las Vegas based Allegiant Travel Company (NASDAQ: ALGT), is focused on linking travelers in small cities to world-class leisure destinations such as Las Vegas, Phoenix, Los Angeles, Orlando, Fla. Tampa/St. Petersburg, Fla. and Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Through its subsidiary, Allegiant Air, the Company operates a low-cost, high-efficiency, all-jet passenger airline offering air travel both on a stand-alone basis and bundled with hotel rooms, rental cars and other travel related services.

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