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Pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 40109, Líneas Aéreas Allegro, S.A. de C.V. (hereinafter "Allegro") applies for renewal of its exemption from 49 U.S.C. § 41301 authorizing Allegro to conduct charter foreign air transportation of persons between Mexico and the United States, and other passenger charter operations in accordance with 14 C.F.R. Part 212.

On February 28, 2000, the Department issued a Notice of Action Taken in the above docket renewing the charter authority held by Allegro through February 28, 2001.

Allegro relies upon 5 U.S.C. § 558(c), as implemented by 14 C.F.R. § 377.10(a), so as to continue the present exemption in effect until the Department makes a determination on this application.

Allegro continues to hold proper authority from the Director General of Civil Aviation of the Government of

Mexico to operate charter service between the United States and Mexico.

Allegro maintains currently effective operations specifications under Part 129 of the Federal Aviation Regulations.

The citizenship of the individuals who own and manage Allegro is Mexican.

Allegro has continued steady development and expansion of its U.S. operations, including growth in its primary business of providing charter service to Mexican tourist destinations from a variety of U.S. points.

Renewal of the exemption is in the public interest. The Government of Mexico has designated Allegro to operate the service described above pursuant to the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement, which authorizes airlines of Mexico to operate U.S.-Mexico charter service. The foreign air transportation which Allegro provides is safe and economical and expands the number of flight options available to the traveling public.

CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons the Department of Transportation should renew the exemption issued to Allegro to conduct charter foreign air transportation of persons between Mexico and the United States, and other passenger charter operations in accordance with 14 C.F.R. Part 212.

Respectfully submitted,

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