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## CERTIFICATION OF ATLANTIC COAST AIRLINES

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**CERTIFICATION OF  
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Atlantic Coast Airlines ("ACA") hereby certifies, in accordance with the provisions of 49 U.S.C. § 41717(b) and Order 2000-4-14 (issued April 14, 2000), that, commencing June 7, 2001, it intends to utilize six (6) daily slot exemptions at Chicago O'Hare International Airport ("O'Hare") to operate daily round trip flights between Albany and Buffalo, New York and Cedar Rapids, Iowa. On and after July 1, 2001, ACA will only require three slots to provide this service as the hours subject to subpart K of Part 93 of the Federal Aviation Regulations ("FAR's") with respect to O'Hare will be reduced in accordance with 49 U.S.C. § 41717(a).

Pursuant to Order 2000-4-14, the Department of Transportation ("Department") granted a blanket exemption from Subparts K and S of Part 93 of the FAR's for authority to conduct operations at O'Hare under the provisions of 49 U.S.C.

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§ 41717(b). In connection with this grant of authority, the Department directed all carriers seeking slots at O'Hare under § 41717(b) to certify that their proposed operations met all of the requirements of § 41717(b). Applicants were also directed to verify the certification as required by 14 C.F.R. § 302.4(b).

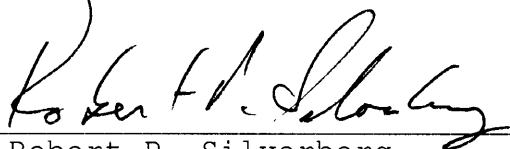
Accordingly, attached hereto as Exhibit A is the Certification of Atlantic Coast Airlines, as executed by Thomas J. Moore, ACA's President and Chief Operating Officer, certifying that ACA meets all applicable statutory requirements and containing the verification required by 14 C.F.R. § 302.4(b).

Respectfully submitted,

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