

Continental Micronesia, Inc.

Renewal of Certificate for Route 171

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- I.    **Authority Sought:** Scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail between Guam, and Tokyo, Japan.
  
- II.   **Relevant Currently Held Authority:** Continental Micronesia currently holds certificate authority on segment 10 of Route 171 to serve the above route. Order 96-10-44. Under the terms of the certificate, Continental Micronesia's authority expired December 5, 2001. Continental Micronesia filed a timely application for renewal of its certificate authority on segment 10, and its authority has remained in effect pursuant to the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. 558(c), pending action on its timely filed renewal application. Continental Micronesia operates twice daily service between Guam and Tokyo.
  
- III. **Pleadings:** No answers were filed.
  
- IV.   **Public Convenience and Necessity:** The authority granted is consistent with the aviation agreement between the United States and Japan.
  
- V.    **Fitness/Citizenship:** Continental Micronesia has previously been found to be a citizen of the United States and fit, willing, and able to provide scheduled foreign air transportation of persons, property, and mail as a certificated air carrier under §41102 of Title 49 U.S.C. See, e.g., Order 99-3-27. The foreign air transportation authorized here does not constitute a substantial change in operations under Part 204 of the Department's regulations, warranting further review by the Department. Moreover, no information has come to our attention which would lead us to question Continental Micronesia's fitness to conduct the air transportation operations authorized here.
  
- VI.   **Terms, Conditions and Limitations:** Standard. We will amend Continental Micronesia's certificate for Route 171 to reflect renewal of the authority on segment 10 for another five years.
  
- VII. **Duration:** Five years. 49 U.S.C. §41102(c).

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Amend condition (11) as follows:

(11) The authority on segment 10 shall expire January 31, 2007, unless the Department earlier suspends, modifies or deletes the authority.

This certificate amendment shall become effective January 31, 2002.

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\*This certificate authority, issued by Order 92-11-46 and amended by Order 96-10-44, is further amended to reflect renewal of authority to serve the Guam-Tokyo market for an additional five years.