

BEFORE THE
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Application of :
 :
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 :
 under 49 USC 40109 for an exemption :
 (Dallas/Ft. Worth-Chihuahua, Mexico) :

MOTION OF AMERICAN EAGLE AIRLINES, INC.
FOR TEMPORARY WAIVER OF DORMANCY CONDITION

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American Eagle Airlines, Inc. hereby moves for a temporary waiver of the dormancy condition of its Dallas/Ft. Worth-Chihuahua exemption authority so as to allow inauguration of service on May 4, 2005.

The subject authority was granted by Notice of Action Taken in this docket on June 25, 2004, subject to a 90-day start-up condition to begin on October 1, 2004, the date that American Eagle initially proposed to start service. Absent a dormancy waiver, the authority would automatically expire on December 30, 2004.

American Eagle now plans to inaugurate Dallas/Ft. Worth-Chihuahua operations on May 4, 2005. Granting a temporary dormancy waiver is in the public interest, as American Eagle has firm plans for starting service. Under the U.S.-Mexico Air Transport Agreement, as amended, two U.S. carriers may be designated between Dallas/Ft. Worth and Chihuahua. No other U.S. carrier is operating nonstop service in this city-pair, and the temporary waiver American Eagle is seeking will facilitate entry.

Consistent with other dormancy waivers the Department has granted, American Eagle requests a 10-day start-up period beyond May 4, 2005, resulting in an amended dormancy date of May 14, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



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