



January 4, 2008

Honorable Mary Peters
Secretary of Transportation
U.S. Department of Transportation
1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20590

Docket No: DOT-OST-2007-0108 – National Task Force to Develop Model Contingency Plans to Deal with Lengthy Airline On-Board Ground Delays

Agency: Office of Secretary (OST), Department of Transportation (DOT)

Action: Notice of Intent (NOI) to Form an Advisor Committee

Dear Madam Secretary:

On behalf of American Airlines and American Eagle Airlines I am pleased to offer my name for consideration for your appointment to the National Task Force to the above-referenced national task force.

American Airlines is the world's largest airline. American, American Eagle and the AmericanConnection[®] airlines serve 250 cities in over 40 countries with more than 4,000 daily flights. Together, American and American Eagle employ over 90,000 aviation professionals and have a combined network fleet that numbers more than 1,000 aircraft. American Airlines is also a founding member of the oneworld[®] Alliance, which brings together some of the best and biggest names in the airline business, enabling them to offer their customers more services and benefits than any airline can provide on its own. Together, its members serve nearly 700 destinations in over 140 countries and territories.

As a communications professional, I have the opportunity to interface with all departments at American and American Eagle to help develop communications for our customers. I also have been directly involved with revising and communicating plans for the customers of American and American Eagle when their travel has been delayed or cancelled. I have more than 15 years working in environments involving planning, trouble shooting and managing major projects. In addition to my seven years with American, I previously served as the Visual Merchandising Manager at Haggard Clothing Co., managing the design and installation of custom in-store fixtures. My airline industry experience, combined with my background in logistic planning and communications, provide me with a unique set of skills and perspectives which I believe would be valuable for this task force.

I am authorized to speak for the two companies and am committed to participating in all task force meetings, in good faith, with all other members.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrea Huguely".

Andrea Huguely
Spokeswoman, Corporate Communications
American Airlines/American Eagle