



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Issued by the Department of Transportation on February 11, 1999

**NOTICE OF ACTION TAKEN--Undocketed**

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This serves as notice to the public of the action described below, taken by the Department official indicated (no additional confirming order will be issued in this matter).

Joint motion of UNITED PARCEL SERVICE CO. AND POLAR AIR CARGO, INC. filed 1/25/99 to:

**Permit UPS to use two of Polar's U.S.-Tokyo slots on a temporary basis until March 26, 2000.**

By Order 98-8-12 the Department awarded Polar sixteen slots and UPS two slots at Tokyo Narita Airport to support their new all-cargo services under the 1998 Memorandum of Understanding between the United States and Japan. The carriers state that Polar cannot use two of the awarded slots at this time, while the slots can be used by UPS for its U.S.-Tokyo-Taiwan all-cargo service.

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*DISPOSITION*

**XX Granted**

The above action was effective when taken: February 11, 1999, through March 26, 2000

**XX Action taken by:** *Paul L. Gretch, Director*  
*Office of International Aviation*

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Under authority assigned by the Department in its regulations, 14 CFR Part 385, we found that (1) immediate action was required and was consistent with Department policy; and (2) grant of the motion was consistent with the public interest. To the extent not granted, we denied all requests in the referenced application. We may amend, modify, or revoke the authority granted in this Notice at any time without hearing at our discretion.

Persons entitled to petition the Department for review of the action set forth in this Notice under the Department's regulations, 14 CFR §385.30, may file their petitions within ten (10) days after the date of issuance of this Notice. This action was effective when taken, and the filing of a petition for review will not alter such effectiveness.

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