



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
 NOTICE OF ORDER ADJUSTING THE  
 STANDARD FOREIGN FARE LEVEL INDEX  
 DOCKET 37554

Section 41509(e) of Title 49 of the United States Code requires that the Department, as successor to the Civil Aeronautics Board, establish a Standard Foreign Fare Level (SFFL) by adjusting the SFFL base periodically by percentage changes in actual operating costs per available seat-mile (ASM). Order 80-2-69 established the first interim SFFL, and Order 2000-2-13 established the currently effective two-month SFFL applicable through March 31, 2000.

In establishing the SFFL for the two-month period beginning April 1, 2000, we have projected non-fuel costs based on the year ended December 31, 1999 data, and have determined fuel prices on the basis of the latest available experienced monthly fuel cost levels as reported to the Department.

By Order **2000-4-8** fares may be increased by the following adjustment factors over the October 1979 level:

Atlantic	1.3873
Latin America	1.5844
Pacific	1.5320

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