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

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NOTICE OF ACTION TAKEN -- DOCKET OST 96-1187 - 15

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).

Applicant: LINEAS AEREAS ALLEGRO, S.A. de C.V.

Date Filed: December 14, 2001

Relief requested: Exemption from 49 USC section 41301 to permit the applicant: 1) to conduct scheduled, combination service between Tijuana, Mexico, and Las Vegas, Nevada; and 2) to continue to conduct charter operations between Mexico and the United States, and other charters in accordance with 14 CFR Part 212.

If renewal, date and citation of last action: The charter authority was renewed on March 1, 2001, in this Docket. The exemption to conduct scheduled service in the Tijuana-Las Vegas market is new authority.

Applicant representative(s): Moffett B. Roller, 202-331-3300

Responsive pleadings: None.

DISPOSITION

Action: Approved.

Action date: January 2, 2002

Effective dates of authority granted: January 2, 2002, through January 2, 2003.

Basis for approval (bilateral agreement/reciprocity): United States-Mexico Air Transport Services Agreement of August 15, 1960, as amended and extended.

Except to the extent exempted/waived, this authority is subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations indicated: Standard exemption conditions.

Special conditions/Remarks:

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

Under authority assigned by the Department in its regulations, 14 CFR Part 385, we found that (1) our action was consistent with Department policy; (2) the applicant was qualified to perform its proposed operations; (3) grant of the authority was consistent with the public interest; and (4) grant of the authority would not constitute a major regulatory action under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act of 1975. To the extent not granted/deferred/dismissed, we denied all requests in the referenced Docket. 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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