

Press Release

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FTL Airlines joins the ERA community

The European Regions Airline Association (ERA) is delighted to welcome FTL Airlines as its newest airline member. Operating from the strategically located regional airport of Vatry, France, FTL Airlines currently flies an A330-200 E-Class freighter and is set on an ambitious growth trajectory, with plans to expand its fleet to up to five aircraft in the coming years.

As a dynamic and growing regional carrier, FTL Airlines recognises the value of ERA's expansive network, which brings together industry leaders to share insights and shape the future of the sector. By joining the association, the airline aims to actively contribute to discussions impacting the regional aviation sector, reinforcing its commitment to sustainable growth, operational excellence and continued industry collaboration.

FTL Airlines appreciates the importance of being part of an association that genuinely understands and advocates for the needs of smaller operators within European regulatory bodies. The airline is confident that ERA will effectively represent and defend its interests, ensuring its voice is heard across key European institutions.

Montserrat Barriga, Director General of ERA, said: "We are delighted to welcome FTL Airlines to ERA's growing community. The carrier's long-haul freighter operations from Vatry highlight its adaptability and resilience and we look forward to supporting its growth. Together, we will work towards a sustainable and prosperous future for the industry."

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About FTL Airlines:

Founded at Vatry Airport, FTL Airlines is a cargo-focused regional airline operating long-haul routes. With a vision for growth and a dedication to supporting Europe's logistics ecosystem, the airline aims to expand its fleet and regional footprint in the coming years.

About ERA:

Founded in 1980, European Regions Airline Association (ERA) is a non-profit trade association representing over 50 airlines plus around 150 other companies involved in European air transport, and is the only association that bring together the entire spectrum of companies involved in European aviation. The association supports and defends the airline industry in providing safe, efficient and sustainable air connectivity to all regions of Europe. By lobbying European regulatory bodies on policy matters, ERA promotes and protects social responsibility, environmental sustainability and the development of regional economies and local communities.

