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Delta Returns to Pinehurst/Southern Pines, N.C. for 2007 Season

Convenient service connects customers between world's largest hub and golf haven

ATLANTA, Nov. 13, 2006 – Delta Air Lines will bring convenient nonstop air service to customers in Pinehurst/Southern Pines, N.C. next year after a successful season of flying between the carrier's global hub in Atlanta and the renowned golf region in 2006. Between March 14 and Nov. 12, 2007, Delta Connection carrier Atlantic Southeast Airlines will offer customers round-trip service between Atlanta and Pinehurst/Southern Pines using 40-passenger CRJ200 jet aircraft.

"This year, customers across the country took advantage of Delta's convenient nonstop service to Pinehurst and we're pleased to return in 2007 to once again provide customers with one-stop access to the world, while at the same time connecting the world to the more than 40 golf courses located within a 15-mile radius of the Pinehurst/Southern Pines airport," said Bob Cortelyou, vice president – Network Planning at Delta. "We look forward to continued support from the Pinehurst community."

Customers may purchase tickets for next year's flights beginning today at delta.com.

Flights are scheduled as follows:

Delta's new non-stop service between Atlanta and Pinehurst/Southern Pines, North Carolina effective March 14, 2007

Flight	Departs	Arrives
4895	Atlanta at 2:45 p.m.	Pinehurst/Southern Pines at 4:03 p.m.
4895	Pinehurst/Southern Pines at 4:30 p.m.	Atlanta at 5:48 p.m.

"Pinehurst and the surrounding communities are delighted Delta will again serve our market in 2007," said Ron Maness, Pinehurst/Southern Pines Airport Manager. "With the continued partnership between Delta Air Lines and Pinehurst, local travelers as well as guests from around the world will enjoy the tremendous benefits provided by the Delta system. Pinehurst will host exciting events in 2007 including the U.S. Women's Open Championship, the U.S. Kids Golf World Championship and many others. Delta passengers can again enjoy the convenience of direct connections to Delta's Atlanta hub."

Delta's flagship hub at Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport is the world's largest airline hub. Delta and the Delta Connection carriers offer more than 1,000 peak-day departures to 231 nonstop destinations from Atlanta – more nonstop flights and destinations than any airline hub in the world. Delta's Atlanta hub is one of the fastest growing international gateways in the United States, with more than 25 new international markets announced in the last year. Delta also continues to expand the number of domestic destinations it serves from Atlanta, including more than 20 new nonstop destinations added or announced since September 2005.

This December, Delta will make history in Atlanta as it enters a new continent from the hub for the first time since 1997 with new service to Dakar, Senegal and Johannesburg, South Africa (via Dakar) (subject to foreign government approvals).

Delta Air Lines (Other OTC: DALRQ) offers customers service to more destinations than any global airline with Delta and Delta Connection carrier service to 290 destinations in 46 countries. With more than 50 new international routes added in the last year, Delta is America's fastest growing international airline and is a leader across the Atlantic with flights to 28 trans-Atlantic destinations. To Latin America and the Caribbean, Delta offers more than 400 weekly flights to 49 destinations. Delta's marketing alliances also allow customers to earn and redeem SkyMiles on more than 14,000 flights offered by SkyTeam and other partners. Delta is a founding member of SkyTeam, a global airline alliance that provides customers with extensive worldwide destinations, flights and services. Including its SkyTeam and worldwide codeshare partners, Delta offers flights to 445 worldwide destinations in 92 countries. Customers can check in for flights, print boarding passes and check flight status at delta.com.

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