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Universal to Showcase New Facilities and Services as a Major Exhibitor at EBACE2006

Houston, TX (May 2, 2006) – Universal Weather and Aviation, Inc. (Universal®) is once again a major exhibitor at the Sixth Annual European Business Aviation Convention & Exhibition (EBACE2006) in Geneva, Switzerland. The company will unveil new services and facilities designed to meet its clients' growing needs.

Under the theme "Success from the Word Go," Universal's comprehensive display, Exhibit #1020, will showcase the company's expertise in serving the European-based operator, demonstrating Universal's ability to offer its clients a variety of service options, whether they are in need of a single-flight plan or complete trip support.

"Universal offers scalable services in a variety of ways," said Justine Finnett, Vice President, Sales and Marketing. "Whether you select our European Operations Centre, arrange ground handling directly through our UVglobal Network® members in Europe or work online, you get exactly the services you need."

The Universal exhibit will offer interactive demonstrations of the company's enhanced online services and, most importantly, face-to-face discussions with Universal experts. Some of the activities and services to be featured at Exhibit #1020 include:

- The European Operations Centre (EOC), based in the UK to provide support for flights operating within Europe, and its expanded coverage to the continent (including Russia, the CIS and Eastern Europe)
- Universal's Team Europe, which works in conjunction with the EOC to provide trip support services to meet the needs of European operators traveling outside Europe
- UVglobal Network, with emphasis on European locations, recently refurbished facilities, and new locations, including Paris and Dublin
- The UVair® Fueling Card, accepted throughout Europe and the world with a local presence in the UK, featuring a team of specialists who manage clients' fuel programs
- Online Trip Information Services, including UVflightplanner.comsm (with RAD-compliant capabilities), UVtriplinksm, and a full suite of online trip planning resources
- Demonstrations of FlightPak®, UVdatalink® and more

In addition, Universal® announces further global expansion, including a new UVglobal Network facility in São Paulo, Brazil – the ninth location in South America. As a network member, the new São Paulo Universal Aviation facility (previously a preferred handler) now offers greater support for clients, with more amenities and the ability to facilitate handling in outlying areas.

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Members of the media are invited to attend a Universal Weather and Aviation, Inc. Press Conference to learn more about these and other Universal services at 10 a.m., 2 May 2006 in Press Room 2.

For more information on Universal[®], visit Exhibit #1020 at the 2006 European Business Aviation Conference & Exhibition (EBACE2006), which will be held 3-5 May 2006.

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At Universal Weather and Aviation, Inc., our goal is to become a vital extension of our clients' flight operations teams. Universal[®] offers a wide range of services designed to provide business aviation operators seamless service from start to finish. Universal's wide range of services includes flight planning, weather briefings, online tools, the UVair[®] Fueling Card and the UVglobal Network[®], UVdatalink[®] air-to-ground communication, and more. Universal has been facilitating successful trips for business aviation operators since 1959.

To learn more about Universal Weather and Aviation, Inc., e-mail sales@universalweather.com, or call (800) 231-5600 ext. 3300 (N. America Toll-Free) or (713) 944-1622 ext. 3300 (Worldwide).

Universal: Success from the word GO.