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FOLLOWS TEXT OF STORY 60-33 FOR MARCH 2 RELEASE...

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA -- DELIVERY OF DC-8 JETLINERS REACHED ITS PEAK SCHEDULED RATE OF EIGHT A MONTH IN FEBRUARY, DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT COMPANY ANNOUNCED TODAY, BOOSTING TO 33 THE TOTAL NUMBER IN THE HANDS OF FIVE MAJOR U.S. AND ONE FOREIGN AIRLINE.

THIRTY OF THE JETS ARE NOW IN SCHEDULED SERVICE. THROUGH MARCH 1 THEY HAD LOGGED TOTAL OPERATING TIME OF 17,946 HOURS.

COINCIDENTALLY, DOUGLAS HAS STARTED ASSEMBLY OF THE 100TH DC-8, ALMOST THREE YEARS TO THE DAY SINCE THE FIRST OF THE GIANT JETS WAS STARTED. THE 100TH AIRPLANE IS SCHEDULED FOR DELIVERY THIS YEAR TO PAN AMERICAN WORLD AIRWAYS.

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