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AIRPORT RELEASES MAY'S STATISTICS

(Spokane, WA) – Spokane International Airport (GEG) reported that during the month of May, 148,245 passengers boarded planes; a 1.95 percent increase versus May of 2007's 145,411. Through the first five months of 2008, GEG has handled 1,415,205 total passengers; a 6.63 percent increase over 2007's 1,327,255.

During the month of May, 4,628.9 tons of freight came through GEG in comparison to 4,821.4 tons in 2007; a 3.99 percent decrease. Through May of 2008, 22,588.2 tons of freight has come through GEG in comparison to 22,263.0 tons in 2007; a 1.46 percent increase.

Felts Field Airport's 6,794 aviation operations during May were a 5.87 percent decrease from 2007's 7,218. For 2008, 24,853 aviation operations have been reported at Felts Field; a 5.78 percent decrease versus 2007's 26,378. Felts Field also reported 7.3 tons of freight was handled during May; a 48.98 percent increase over 2007's 4.9 tons. Through May 2008, 24.4 tons of freight has been reported at Felts Field; a 5.13 percent increase from 2007's 23.2 tons.

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Attachment: May's Traffic & Operations Report
2008 vs. 2007 Enplaned (Boarded/departing) Passengers by Carrier