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SuperJet International: A320 family Full Flight Simulator is Ready for Training

The Full Flight Simulator (FFS) for training on Airbus 320 family aircraft, available at the SuperJet International's Training Center in Venice (Italy), has received today the FSTD Certification by the Italian Civil Aviation Authority (ENAC).

The certification audit has been positively completed by ENAC, thus confirming the Certification of the device as FFS level D according to JAR-FSTD A.

In November 2011 the simulator was transferred from Alitalia Training Center in Rome to the SuperJet International Training Center in Tesserà (Venice), close to the "Marco Polo" international airport.

Today SuperJet International's facility in Venice represents a Flight Training Organization (FTO) able to supply a Type-rating course on A320 family fully integrated with Multi Crew Cooperation (MCC) through the utilization of a Frasca 242J MCC, thus offering flexibility to trainees and permitting this type-rating course to a larger series of pilots with different skill background.

"SJI is working intensively and dealing with several potential customers. The first feedbacks are definitely positive and confirmed an increased interest in our training services. We are confident and expect to close long-term deals in a very short term" said Nazario Cauceglia, recently appointed as Chief Executive Officer of SuperJet International.

Courses will be managed by a wide selected and highly experienced team of SuperJet International's professionals with airline's operations background.

The A320 family Full Flight Simulator allows SJI to enlarge its training opportunities in addition to the SSJ100 training services currently provided through the utilization of the SSJ100 FFS, already operational at SJI Training Center in Zhukovsky (Moscow). At the same time, SuperJet International is working in the preparation for the entry into service of SSJ100 Interjet fleet and for the start of training courses to Interjet pilots.

In terms of technologies, the SSJ100 aircraft has similar characteristics to the Airbus A320 family. This parallel activity will permit SJI to extend its experience and become a highly technologically Training Center offering multi-aircraft training services.

About SuperJet International

SuperJet International, a joint venture between Alenia Aermacchi, a Finmeccanica Company (51%) and Sukhoi Holding (49%), is in charge of the marketing, sales, customization and delivery of the Sukhoi Superjet 100 regional jet in Europe, the Americas, Oceania, Africa and Japan. The Company is also responsible for training and worldwide after-sales support, as well as the design and development of VIP and cargo variants. A SuperJet International branch is active in Moscow, together with a sales office in Washington, DC, U.S.A. Given the international nature of the program, SuperJet International has established two Training Centers based in Venice and in Moscow.

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Sukhoi Superjet 100 (SSJ100) is a 100 seat regional jet designed, developed and built by Sukhoi Civil Aircraft Company (SCAC), in partnership with Alenia Aermacchi. On May 19th 2008 SSJ100 successfully accomplished its first flight. The Sukhoi Superjet 100 cruises at a Maximum Operating Speed of Mach 0.81 and 40,000 feet. It takes off from a 1,731 meters runway in the basic range and 2,052 meters in the long range. The operating range for the basic version is 3,048 km and 4,578 km for the long range version. In January 2011, the SSJ100 obtained the Type Certificate by the Russian Certification Authority IAC AR. On April 19th 2011 first production SSJ100 was delivered to Armavia airlines (Armenia). On June 16, the SSJ100 entered into service with Aeroflot. In February 2012, the SSJ100 achieved the EASA Type Certificate. There are currently six SSJ100s in service with Armavia and Aeroflot.

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