

JAL Reduces Flight Frequency on International Routes

Tokyo, June 15, 2009: The JAL Group (JAL) has decided to reduce the frequency of international flights that are primarily on routes with several service offerings a day, from July 1, 2009.

In view of the slow recovery in air transport demand, JAL will strive to improve profitability by adjusting capacity. It will maintain the reduced flight frequency on routes to Beijing, Shanghai (Pudong), Hong Kong and Taipei, which were decreased in the period of March to June 2009, for a new term from July 1, 2009. In addition to these routes, the number of weekly flights to Seoul (Incheon) and New Delhi from Tokyo (Narita), as well as from Osaka (Kansai) to Shanghai (Pudong) and Seoul (Incheon), will also be reduced for a short term period till the end of October 2009. Please refer to the table below for more details.

JAL aims to respond sensitively to current market situations and appreciates the understanding and support of its customers. For customers who have already made reservations on flights that are subject to the change, alternative JAL flights with different timings will be offered.

Flight Frequency Decrease

Route	Changes (Flights per week)	Period Effective	Affected Flight No. / Revised Days of Operation
Tokyo (Narita) - Beijing	Decrease from 19 to 14 ^{*1}	Aug 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL781 / 782 Tue, Fri
Tokyo (Narita) - Shanghai (Pudong)	Decrease from 28 to 21 ^{*2}	Aug 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL791 / 792
Tokyo (Narita) - Taipei	Decrease from 28 to 21 ^{*3}	Jul 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL647
		Jul 02 – Oct 24, 2009	JL640
Tokyo (Narita) – Seoul (Incheon)	Decrease from 28 to 21	Jul 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL953 / 952
Tokyo (Narita) – New Delhi	Decrease from 4 to 3	Jul 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL471 / 472 Tue, Fri, Sun
Osaka (Kansai) – Shanghai (Pudong)	Decrease from 21 to 14	Aug 01 – Oct 24, 2009	JL629
		Aug 02 – Oct 24, 2009	JL620
Osaka (Kansai) – Seoul (Incheon)	Decrease from 21 to 14	Aug 01 – Oct 24, 2009 ^{*4}	JL965
		Aug 02 – Oct 24, 2009 ^{*5}	JL966
Tokyo (Haneda) - Hong Kong	Decrease from 7 to 3	Sep 01 – Sep 16, 2009	JL8739
		Oct 12 – Oct 24, 2009	Thu, Fri, Sun
		Sep 02 – Sep 17, 2009	JL8730
		Oct 13 – Oct 24, 2009	Mon, Fri, Sat

1. Flight frequency was first reduced to 14 weekly flights in the period of March 29 to June 30, 2009.

2. Flight frequency was first reduced to 21 weekly flights in the period of March 29 to June 30, 2009.

3. Flight frequency was first reduced to 21 weekly flights in the period of April 7 to June 13, 2009.

4. Flights departing on Sep 19, 20, 22, 2009 will operate as per normal.

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About Japan Airlines

The JAL Group airlines serve some 220 airports in 35 countries and territories, including 60 airports in Japan. Its international network covers over 250 passenger routes and 28 cargo routes, while its domestic operations include flights on 143 routes.

With around 23,000 employees in the air transport segment, JAL Group operates a fleet of some 270 aircraft including Boeing 747s and 777s and is now in the process of a major fleet renewal, introducing more fuel-efficient small and medium aircraft such as the B737 New Generation series and in the future the new high-tech Boeing 787 "Dreamliner".

JAL First Class offers fully reclining Skysleeper or Skysleeper Solo seats. "JAL Executive Class - Seasons," introduces the concept of "quality time" spent on board and features the award-winning JAL Shell Flat Seat that reclines to almost the horizontal and provides a high degree of personal privacy. From December 2007 JAL started offering JAL Premium Economy on key business routes, and from August 2008 started introducing on US routes a luxurious new suite to JAL First Class and the JAL Shell Flat NEO, a leading-edge seat for JAL Executive Class.

Top quality in-flight service has always been the hallmark of JAL's reputation. Cuisine offered in all classes is a combination of Western and Japanese food. JAL carries a fine selection of award-winning wines and sake in First Class and JAL Executive Class - Seasons, JAL's business class. Quality in-flight entertainment systems are a feature of JAL's international fleet aircraft.

A member of the **oneworld** global alliance since April 2007, JAL offers customers many benefits, such as the JAL Mileage Bank frequent flier program.

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