

## OMA reports January 2010 Traffic

**Monterrey, Mexico, February 9, 2009**—Mexican airport operator Grupo Aeroportuario del Centro Norte, S.A.B. de C.V., known as OMA (NASDAQ: OMAB; BMV: OMA), reports that terminal passenger traffic at its 13 airports decreased 10.5% in January 2010, as compared to January 2009. Domestic traffic decreased 12.1%, and international traffic decreased 4.2%.

Of total traffic, 97.1% was commercial aviation, and 2.9% was general aviation.

### Total Passengers\*

	Jan-09	Jan-10	Change %
Domestic	787,980	692,381	(12.1)
International	212,291	203,339	(4.2)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>1,000,271</b>	<b>895,720</b>	<b>(10.5)</b>

\* Terminal passengers: includes passengers on the three types of aviation (commercial, charter, and general aviation), and excludes passengers in transit.

**Domestic traffic** grew at four airports: Culiacán, +9.1%; Zacatecas, +5.3%; San Luis Potosí, +2.5%, and Durango, +0.8%. Culiacán traffic benefited from the performance of VivaAerobus, Interjet, and Grupo Mexicana. Grupo Aeroméxico led growth in San Luis Potosí and Zacatecas. Zacatecas and Durango also benefited from an increase in general aviation.

These factors were offset principally by the suspension of Aviaca (suspended since July 6, 2009) and the reduction in traffic on Interjet and Grupo Aeroméxico. The Monterrey, Acapulco, Zihuatanejo, and Ciudad Juárez airports had the largest traffic reductions.

**International traffic** recorded growth at five airports. Noteworthy were the growth in traffic at the Zacatecas airport (+20.7%) on its routes to Los Angeles and Chicago, and at the Durango airport (+53.2%) on its routes to Houston and Chicago.

The airports that had the largest reductions in international passenger traffic were Zihuatanejo, Acapulco, and Mazatlán, where the common factor was a decrease in charter traffic, and Monterrey which was affected by a reduction in traffic to and from Houston along with the Aviaca effect.

The total number of flight operations (takeoffs and landings) in the month increased 0.6% as compared to the prior year period.

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### Total Passengers\*

	Jan-09	Jan-10	Change %
Acapulco	99,622	84,786	(14.9)
Ciudad Juárez	54,224	43,529	(19.7)
Culiacán	76,741	83,611	9.0
Chihuahua	56,317	52,436	(6.9)
Durango	14,823	15,551	4.9
Mazatlán	76,947	74,366	(3.4)
Monterrey	417,830	368,117	(11.9)
Reynosa	17,778	16,899	(4.9)
San Luis Potosí	14,966	15,271	2.0
Tampico	42,553	30,767	(27.7)
Torreón	33,439	27,672	(17.2)
Zacatecas	19,834	22,008	11.0
Zihuatanejo	75,197	60,707	(19.3)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>1,000,271</b>	<b>895,720</b>	<b>(10.5)</b>

### Domestic Passengers\*

	Jan-09	Jan-10	Change %
Acapulco	63,627	51,398	(19.2)
Ciudad Juárez	54,130	43,493	(19.7)
Culiacán	75,493	82,372	9.1
Chihuahua	50,788	46,803	(7.8)
Durango	13,649	13,753	0.8
Mazatlán	30,086	28,792	(4.3)
Monterrey	358,054	311,751	(12.9)
Reynosa	17,602	16,792	(4.6)
San Luis Potosí	9,698	9,938	2.5
Tampico	39,058	27,193	(30.4)
Torreón	28,824	23,492	(18.5)
Zacatecas	12,518	13,177	5.3
Zihuatanejo	34,453	23,427	(32.0)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>787,980</b>	<b>692,381</b>	<b>(12.1)</b>

### International Passengers\*

	Jan-09	Jan-10	Change %
Acapulco	35,995	33,388	(7.2)
Ciudad Juárez	94	36	(61.7)
Culiacán	1,248	1,239	(0.7)
Chihuahua	5,529	5,633	1.9
Durango	1,174	1,798	53.2
Mazatlán	46,861	45,574	(2.7)
Monterrey	59,776	56,366	(5.7)
Reynosa	176	107	(39.2)
San Luis Potosí	5,268	5,333	1.2
Tampico	3,495	3,574	2.3
Torreón	4,615	4,180	(9.4)
Zacatecas	7,316	8,831	20.7
Zihuatanejo	40,744	37,280	(8.5)
<b>OMA Total</b>	<b>212,291</b>	<b>203,339</b>	<b>(4.2)</b>

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#### About OMA

Grupo Aeroportuario del Centro Norte, S.A.B. de C.V., known as OMA, operates 13 international airports in nine states of central and northern Mexico. OMA's airports serve Monterrey, Mexico's third largest metropolitan area, the tourist destinations of Acapulco, Mazatlán, and Zihuatanejo, and nine other regional centers and border cities. OMA also operates a hotel and commercial areas inside Terminal 2 of the Mexico City airport. OMA employs over 960 persons in order to offer passengers and clients, airport and commercial services in facilities that comply with all applicable international safety, security standards, and ISO 9001:2000. OMA's strategic shareholder members are ICA, Mexico's largest engineering, procurement, and construction company, and Aéroports de Paris Management, subsidiary of Aéroports de Paris, the second largest European airports operator. OMA is listed on the Mexican Stock Exchange (OMA) and on the NASDAQ Global Select Market (OMAB). Please visit our website, [www.oma.aero](http://www.oma.aero).