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Orlando Sanford Posts 16th Straight Month of Growth

Passenger Traffic Up 27% in October; Year-to-Date Up 55%

Sanford, FL, November 23, 2004 – Total passenger traffic at Orlando Sanford International Airport (SFB) for October 2004 was 197,341, up 27% compared to October 2003. It represents the 16th straight month of growth in passenger traffic at the airport. The traffic mix for October 2004 was 60,649 domestic travelers, up 36%; and 136,692 international, up 23.5%. Specifically, there were 127,997 United Kingdom passengers, up 17% from October 2003. Cargo volume was up 45%, processing 1,376 tons during the month; while aircraft operations were down 6.5% to 34,290.

The year-to-date figure of 1,671,165 represents an increase of 55% in total passenger traffic; with increases of 102% for domestic, 33% for total international and 21% for UK specific traffic. Larry Dale, President of the Sanford Airport Authority, remarked, “We are once again extremely pleased with our tremendous growth figures for the month, and are still on track to surpass our goal of 1.8 million passengers for the year.”

Airports Council International (ACI) has ranked SFB as the fastest growing North American airport for the first six months of 2004; 10th fastest growing airport in the world. Orlando Sanford International Airport offers visitors and Central Floridians alike, the “Best of Both Worlds,” located midway between Orlando’s World Class attractions and the World’s Most Famous Beach - Daytona Beach, both are only 45 minutes away. Airlines and their passengers enjoy a stress-free environment, convenient parking, new terminal facilities, short walking distances, and attractive pricing.

For more information about SFB, visit the airport’s website at www.OrlandoSanfordAirport.com.