

PRESS RELEASE

Transfer of ground handling services at Frankfurt Airport: Agreement in place

Frankfurt, 02.01.2018: As of 1. February 2018 WISAG Aviation Service will succeed Acciona Airport Services Frankfurt. A recent agreement of transfer secures jobs of staff, as well as business as usual ground handling for airlines.

Signed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) of mid November has been the starting point: The incumbent ground handling partner at Frankfurt Airport – Acciona Airport Services Frankfurt GmbH – and WISAG Aviation Service GmbH have laid out the intention for the sale of Acciona Airport Services Frankfurt GmbH to WISAG Aviation Service Holding GmbH. After a careful due diligence period, both parties now finally agreed to the details of the sale.

‘Originally, we had every intention to acquire Acciona Frankfurt as a whole business. Unfortunately, also due to legal reasons, this could not be accomplished. Therefore I am happy that we found a solution that leads to the same target of a smooth transition: The deal includes a transfer of all staff according to a transfer of business (para. 613a of German civil code), transfer of all equipment, as well as all current customer contracts.’ explains Michael Richter, Managing Director of the WISAG Ground Service Holding and, amongst other things, responsible for the Frankfurt Project.

With this agreement WISAG Aviation Service is now in the position to offer continuity of business to former Acciona staff and customers. As of February, jobs of staff are secured at equal terms. Customer airlines may rest assured that all services will be provided seamlessly by WISAG at the usual quality. Hakan Sener, Station Manager Acciona Frankfurt *‘We are glad that all Acciona staff now has reassurance about the future of their jobs and can look forward to a peaceful start of the New Year.’*



As of 1. February 2018 ground services at Frankfurt Airport as usual, however with new branding.

About WISAG Aviation Service:

WISAG Aviation Service Holding GmbH is a German full-service provider for airport handling services with its headquarter based in Frankfurt. The portfolio comprises airport services, ground services, passenger services, cargo services and airport personnel services. With leading airline customers at major airports, WISAG serves 16.5m passengers and deals with 86K tons of freight yearly. WISAG Aviation Services Holding is part of the leading providers within the industry and in particular represents elevated technical competence and continuous leadership in innovation. The WISAG group operation runs with nearly 50,000 staff members at over 250 locations nationally and abroad.

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