

# AMOS PRESS RELEASE

## IN 2009 SWISS AVIATION SOFTWARE HAS ONCE AGAIN ACHIEVED THE SUCCESS OF PREVIOUS YEARS

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### TEN NEW CUSTOMERS AND A MORE THAN SATISFYING END YEAR RESULT IN 2009

The AMOS community grew by ten new members and welcomed the new Alitalia as the 80th customer of Swiss-AS at the end of 2009. The new customers stem from different aviation businesses: Internationally operating airlines such as Alitalia (Italy), Etihad Airways (UAE) or Luxair (Luxembourg), MRO providers such as Enhance Aero (France) and groWING (Switzerland), regional and/or low cost carriers as Norwegian Air Shuttle (Norway) or Jetstar Pacific Airlines (Vietnam). Probably the most unique new customer is the Polizei-Hubschrauberstaffel Bayern, the police helicopter squadron of Bavaria, Germany.

The year-end result 2009 is close to the result of 2008 – a strong performance considering that 2008 was the most successful year in Swiss-AS' history. Once more Swiss-AS could defy the global economic downturn and once again achieve the success of the past years. The strong performance was also reflected in the fast growth of the company as new jobs have been created and Swiss-AS had 65 employees at the end of the year.

### AMOS ANNIVERSARY - CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF INNOVATION

In autumn 1989, the foundations for the MRO software AMOS were laid by the IT Team of Crossair. "Now, 20 years later, we celebrate AMOS' 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary and are proud of the persistent success of AMOS, which is intrinsically tied to the know-how and performance of our employees as well as the loyal and trustful long-term partnership with our customers" says Ronald Schaeuffele, CEO of Swiss-AS, being one of the AMOS founder members.

### RECENTLY RELEASED FEATURES

In 2009 the most important functional enhancements of AMOS were the introduction of both the electronic signature and the OEM document library. The electronic signature stands out on account of providing an external as well as an internal solution concerning the signing procedure. Based on the full integration into AMOS, the OEM document library is in a position to increase the customer's efficiency.

### AWARD WINNING AMOS IMPLEMENTATION

At the start of 2009 the AMOS implementation at Czech Airlines won the award for "The IT Project 2008". This award was presented by the Czech Association of CIOs as well as the Czech Society for System Integration.

### BRIGHT PROSPECTS 2010

This year started off with welcoming two new members into the AMOS community: Armavia Aircompany (Armenia) and Primera Air Scandinavia (Iceland) signed for AMOS while several other companies are on the verge of contract signature.

There are numerous highlights planned forthcoming for 2010:

- Introduction of the first modules of Web Based Training (WBT), which allows the users more flexibility with regard to the training location and time.
- Scheduled for Q4 2010 is the database independent version of AMOS.
- The next AMOS Strategic Board (ASB), consisting of representatives of the AMOS customer community, will take place in spring 2010. The ASB has the task to determine the MRO software long-term trends and hence to ensure that AMOS will meet future industry requirements and be able to fulfil its strategic role as maintenance information management system for the customers.

### ABOUT SWISS AVIATION SOFTWARE AND AMOS

AMOS is a fully integrated maintenance management system developed and distributed by Swiss AviationSoftware Ltd. As a 100% subsidiary of Swiss International Air Lines Ltd., Swiss-AS has become a fixture in the MRO software market.

AMOS is the answer to the complex and cost intensive maintenance, engineering and logistics requirements of any modern airline and MRO provider.

In 2010, more than 80 customers from all over the world will rely on AMOS and benefit from its continuously enlarged functionalities and technological cutting edge, which makes AMOS the industry-leading MRO software in Europe and one of the best-selling solutions worldwide.