



Press Release

Successful year for AMAC Aerospace

Geneva, May 28, 2018 – Looking back to the latest news and achievements of AMAC Aerospace, the great success story of as one of the largest privately-owned facilities in the world offering maintenance and completion services continues.

The construction of the new facility in Bodrum, Turkey is finished after a 9 months construction time and AMAC's business down there is up and running and comprises a workforce of currently 35 personnel. AMAC has recognized the business potential of Bodrum and has decided to extend its presence further in Turkey. AMAC Aerospace's newest hangar is located in the South West of Turkey at the popular tourist destination of Bodrum-Milas Airport and is the only MRO at this location. The hangar comprises of 4,626 m² of hangar floor.

The business model for Bodrum includes line and base maintenance checks on commercial aircraft during winter season, with Line Maintenance support for Business Aviation clients in the summer as well as private aircraft handling, AOG support and parking for any Business Aviation clients during summer season. Tailwind Airlines has signed contracts with AMAC Aerospace for their fleet of Boeing 737-400 aircraft. In the beginning of 2018 the first aircraft arrived for maintenance and underwent a C13 check at AMAC's new facility in Bodrum.

"It is a privilege to be involved with the launch of AMAC Aerospace's name within the commercial airline market and reinforcing an already stable reputation in Turkey. I am confident that with our experienced team we have put in place that the quality will be high whilst still being competitive to the rest of the local and European markets." said Mr. Tarek Muhiddin, Technical Director Special Projects of AMAC Aerospace.



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JCB Aero in Auch, France – globally renowned in composite and carbon fiber production techniques

After two years of successful integration of JCB Aero in Auch, France, the specialised services of our French affiliate are running very well. JCB AERO was acquired in May, 2016 by AMAC Aerospace and has become globally renowned in composite and carbon fiber production techniques, methods and can carry out completion work utilizing their DOA and POA approval status. With nearly 30 years of experience, JCB Aero has become the French leader in luxury design, manufacture & installation of civil, airline, VIP aircraft cabins and helicopter, combining latest technologies and expert craftsmanship on a rapidly developing market.

JCB Aero has over 10 years experience and expertise with the production of very light panels, these panels are customized in terms of surface finish and thickness. JCB manufactures the panels using a press machine and can report a weight reduction of 20% in comparison with traditional finished honeycomb panels.



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Aircraft type approvals at our facilities in Turkey

Recently added aircraft type approvals at AMAC's facilities in Turkey comprise the following: AMAC Aerospace successfully renewed the FAA Part-145 approval in Q2, 2017. AMAC Aerospace Turkey is authorized to undertake repair station work on Airframes, Power Plants, Propellers and Accessories on N-registered aircraft. The renewed certificate continues in effect until Q3 2018.

In addition to that the following approvals and aircraft ratings have been awarded by the Aviation authorities to AMAC Aerospace Turkey in Bodrum: Country approvals from the Turkish Directorate General of Civil Aviation & from Aruba and Aircraft ratings for the following Airbus and Boeing Models:

- Airbus A318/319/320/321
- Boeing B777-300/400/500/600/700/800/900
- Boeing B777-200/300

Recently added country approvals at our facilities in Basel, Switzerland

AMAC Aerospace received the maintenance approval to work on Taiwanese registered aircraft in Q3, 2017. The approval was issued by the CAA (Civil Aeronautics Administration – China) and allows AMAC Aerospace to perform further maintenance checks on aircraft that are registered in Taiwan. In addition, AMAC Aerospace has also recently received a new maintenance approval to work on aircraft, which are registered in Bahrain.

Successful re-delivery of a Boeing B777-200LR after VVIP Completion

AMAC Aerospace is proud to announce the successful re-delivery of a Boeing B777-200LR after VVIP Completion in Q2, 2017. This VVIP wide-body completion project was delivered on time after a downtime of 20 months to AMAC's esteemed customer. State-of-the-art technology systems, high-end inflight entertainment systems including 64-inch monitors, the latest generation of customized soundproofing with noise levels as low as 50 dB, RGB mood lighting as well as customized commission artwork was installed by AMAC.

"We are all proud to have our third VVIP B777 Completion project returned to service since the establishment of AMAC ten years ago. And we are thankful that our esteemed customer recognizes the level of details, the commitment, the efforts and the highest quality standards coming from our skilled teams within AMAC Aerospace", said Mr. Bernd Schramm, Group Chief Operating Officer, AMAC Aerospace.



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STC (Supplemental Type Certificate) for the Ka Band Antenna Installation

AMAC Aerospace proudly announced that a new STC (Supplemental Type Certificate) for the Ka Band Antenna Installation on an Airbus A330 had been successfully developed by AMAC's in-house engineering department in Q3, 2017.

The Ka Band System delivers broadband internet service to the business jet market and ensures an impressive connectivity experience. The increased data speed enables business jet users greater access to Internet TV and video streaming across multiple on-board devices. It also supports uninterrupted WiFi enabled email, web-browsing, video conferencing, data file transfers, and voice and text capabilities.

AMAC's office of airworthiness in collaboration with all involved teams from engineering are taking care of the STC development. The team has developed a variety of multiple and single STCs, as you see on the screen our engineering department has developed many multiple STCs which are now available to the market.

MULTIPLE STCs / Design holder: AMAC Aerospace			
Aircraft Type	Modification Title	Approval Reference	Initial Issue Date
A318/A319/A320/A321	JetWave Ka-Band Antenna Installation	EASA STC 10064898	07.03.2018
A320 Family	Humidification – and Zonal Dryer Installation	EASA STC 10028359	21.12.2009
A340-500/600 A330-200	Jet Wave Ka Band Antenna Installation	EASA STC 10061719 GACA STC GACA/334F-146	03.05.2017 17.08.2017
A340-600	Tailwind 550 SAT TV antenna installation	EASA STC 10062928 GACA STC GACA/334F-145	17.08.2017 20.08.2017
B737-900ER	Jet Wave Ka Band Antenna Installation	EASA STC 10060874 GACA STC GACA/334F-139	01.02.2017 02.02.2017
B777-200/200LR	Jet Wave Ka Band Antenna Installation	EASA STC 10062018	24.05.2017

AMAC Aerospace has already developed six multiple STC's, which are available on the market.

AMAC's expertise extends to supplemental type certificate (STC) work and the list of its most recent STCs makes for interesting reading; of 12 awarded since the beginning of 2017, half involve antenna installations. When the STC regulations were defined, EASA and the FAA acknowledged that there was a business case for an organisation like AMAC to market STCs to other companies. We are proud that AMAC has the capability to perform this work in-house.

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