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AIR CANADA OPENS MODERN NEW CARGO TERMINAL AT TORONTO HUB

TORONTO, Jan. 21 - Air Canada Cargo has completed its move to a new facility in Toronto designed to ensure continued customer service excellence and to position the airline's cargo division for significant future growth at it's busiest hub.

"Our new Toronto cargo facility reinforces Air Canada's reputation for leading-edge technology and first-rate service," said Claude Morin, Vice President, Cargo. "The modern, automated terminal provides significantly increased capacity and efficiency, as well as numerous enhancements designed to meet the needs of our valued customers."

POSITIONED FOR FUTURE GROWTH

The new airport infield facility is designed to accommodate Air Canada Cargo's future growth, with 50 per cent more capacity, 42 per cent more cargo door access and ample customer parking. The new cargo terminal is an integral part of the Greater Toronto Airport Authority's 10-year master plan to redesign and modernize Pearson International Airport.

FOCUS ON AUTOMATION, EFFICIENCY AND CONVENIENCE

The facility's fully automated system will use modern conveyer systems that allow for efficient storage and retrieval of cargo. Equipped with a new Inventory Control System (ICS) that interfaces with Air Canada's global cargo network worldwide, the facility is one of the most technically advanced in the world. Conveniently located on the airport's west side, it is close to both Canada Customs and Agriculture Canada and houses an Agriculture Canada office as part of it's Live Handling annex.

For more detailed information and directions to the new facility, visit the Air Canada Cargo web site at www.aircanada.ca/cargo.

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