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SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re:
DELTA AIR LINES, INC., et al.
Debtors.

Chapter 11 Case No.
05-17923 (PCB)
(Jointly Administered)

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION OF THE SECTION 1114 COMMITTEE TO
RETAIN BARBARA NIEHUS AND MITCHELL I. SEROTA AS ACTUARIES,
NUNC PRO TUNC TO OCTOBER 27, 2005**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the enclosed Application of the
Section 1114 Committee to Retain Barbara Niehus and Mitchell I. Serota, as Actuaries

Nunc Pro Tunc to October 27, 2005 dated December 21, 2005 (the “Application”), for the Section 1114 Committee of non-pilot retirees of Delta Airlines, Inc. (the “Committee”), will be held before the Honorable Prudence Carter Beatty, United States Bankruptcy Judge, on January 5, 2006 at 2:30 p.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, Alexander Hamilton Custom House, One Bowling Green, New York 10004-1408 (the “Bankruptcy Court”).

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that responses or objections, if any, to the Application must comply with the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Local Rules of the Bankruptcy Court, must be set forth in a writing describing the basis therefore and must be filed with the Bankruptcy Court electronically in accordance with General Order M-242, as amended by General Order M-269, by registered users of the Bankruptcy Court’s electronic case filing system (the User Manual for the Electronic Case Filing System can be found at www.nysb.uscourts.gov, the official website for the Bankruptcy Court) and, by all other parties in interest on a 3-1/2 inch disk, preferably in Portable Document Format (PDF), Word Perfect or any other Windows-based word processing format (with a hard copy delivered directly to Chambers) and served in accordance with the Order Approving Notice, Case Management and Administrative Procedures, entered by the Bankruptcy Court on October 6, 2005, upon each of the following: (i) counsel for the Committee, Farella Braun & Martel LLP, 235 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California 94104, Attn.: Neil A. Goteiner, Esq.; (ii) special litigation counsel for the Committee, Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP, Two Embarcadero Center, Eighth Floor, San Francisco, California 94111, Attn.: Guy W.

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Dated: San Francisco, CA
December 21, 2005

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