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Eurowings Discover Expands Connections from Europe to Jamaica with commencement of new services from Frankfurt, Germany.

Montego Bay, Jamaica, 3 November 2021// Sangster International Airport (SIA), Jamaica's leading gateway to the world operated by MBJ Airports Limited, welcomed Eurowings Discover direct flight from Frankfurt, Germany. Eurowings Discover is the new vacation airline of the Lufthansa Group. Operating out of Frankfurt, and from summer 2022 also from Munich, this new carrier takes travelers to the world's most beautiful short, medium and long haul destinations. As part of the Lufthansa network, travelers can benefit from direct connections and seamless transfers to and from all German and European Lufthansa destinations, as well as an end-to-end booking process. Eurowings Discover is a new carrier and is a separate and distinct entity from Eurowings which operated in the past.

The inaugural flight 4Y6 arrived from Frankfurt Airport (FRA), the busiest airport by passenger in Germany and forth busiest in Europe, on Wednesday, November 3 at 5:50 p.m.

The arriving flight landed to a spectacular water arch salute from MBJ's Emergency Response Service signalling the arrival of the inaugural service. The crew and passengers also received a warm welcome by Dr. Stefan Friedrich Keil, Deputy Mayor of Montego Bay, Councillor Richard Vernon, Chair of the Jamaica Hotel & Tourist Association, Montego Bay Chapter, Nadine Spence, Odette Dyer and Gregory Shervington of the Jamaica Tourist Board, Joy Roberts of Jamaica Vacations Ltd and representatives from MBJ, along with the melodious sounds of live entertainment courtesy of a local Mento Band.

Eurowings Discover flight 4Y6 will operate two (2) weekly non-stop services from Frankfurt to MBJ on Wednesdays and Saturdays with schedule arrival at 5:50 p.m. and return flights at 7:50 p.m.

MBJ Airports Limited's Chief Executive Officer, Shane Munroe stated that he "is also pleased with the addition of this new service which highlights travel's continued rebound within the European sector for the rest of 2021 and beyond."

"I wish to congratulate the MBJ team for the launch of this service and look forward to its successful operation on the route. This additional airline service will give our aviation and tourism industry a further boost from the European market, as we continue to recover from the COVID-19 Pandemic" commented Audley Deidrick, President and CEO, Airports Authority of Jamaica.

"It is with excitement and enthusiasm that our new airline took off to its very first flight to Montego Bay. With the easing of travel restrictions and our direct connection, tourists from all over Germany and Europe can once again enjoy the friendly hospitality and beautiful landscape, which Jamaica has to offer. It is a great addition to our current portfolio and we are happy to support the recovery of tourism in Jamaica," says Rupert Kraus, Head of Network Planning & Airport Relations of Eurowings Discover who was on the first flight to Montego Bay.





About Eurowings Discover

Eurowings Discover is the Lufthansa Group's new leisure airline that flies travelers from the Frankfurt hub – and from summer 2022 also from Munich – to the world's most beautiful short- and long-haul destinations. The claim of Eurowings Discover is to tailor the travel experience to the individual needs of its guests and to make the flight a special experience. Through integration into the Lufthansa network, travelers benefit from direct connections to all German and European Lufthansa departure points, as well as an end-to-end booking process and seamless transfers. As a wholly owned subsidiary of Deutsche Lufthansa AG, the airline draws on the expertise and experience of one of the world's leading aviation companies. Flights can be booked on lufthansa.com and eurowings.com.

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About MBJ Airports Limited

MBJ Airports Limited, operator of Sangster International Airport, connects Jamaica to more than 60 international destinations. A record of 4.7m passengers used the airport in 2019. MBJ operates SIA under a 30-year concession awarded in 2003 and the airport provides employment to more than 7,500 persons. SIA has been named the Caribbean's Leading Airport by World Travel Awards for 14 years.

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