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Universal Demos New UVTripPlanner EFB and Online Versions at IOC

San Diego (March 26, 2007) Universal Weather and Aviation, Inc. will present interactive demonstrations of the new online and electronic flight bag (EFB) versions of *UVTripPlanner*sm at the National Business Aviation Association's 34th Annual International Operators Conference (IOC). The conference will be held March 26-29 at the Sheraton San Diego Hotel and Marina - East Tower in San Diego.

"Our new *UVTripPlanner*sm Online is one of the most comprehensive trip planning tools ever produced, allowing users access to *real-time* data," explained Randy Stephens, Universal[®] Director of Product Management. "As part of the official launch of *UVTripPlanner*sm Online, we will provide demonstrations showing its unique capabilities, such as near-immediate access to new data the instant we enter it into the system."

Data and capabilities of *UVTripPlanner*sm include:

- Worldwide airports, heliports and seaplane bases
- All runways and helipads to support landing facilities
- Worldwide FBOs/handlers with supporting ground services information
- Worldwide hotels, catering and transportation listings
- More than 1,050 airport diagrams of top business airports worldwide, with FBOs and handlers identified on the diagram
- Perform country and city airport searches
- Perform city center searches to identify nearby airports (U.S. only)
- Perform Great Circle distance calculations
- Search for alternate airports that meet your operational needs
- Identify UVair[®] contract fuel locations
- Access online fuel quotes from UVair[®] (available to current UVair Fueling Card clients)
- Select data elements to print from individual screens
- Mapping function powered by MapQuest[®]

Also available for demo at IOC is the EFB version of *UVTripPlanner*sm, which will come pre-loaded on all Advanced Data Research (ADR) 2007 EFBs. The design of the EFB version of *UVTripPlanner*sm allows it to work both in portrait mode inside the aircraft,* and also in Microsoft[®] Windows[®] mode when the EFB is used as a laptop.¹

¹ Those who already own an EFB can purchase *UVTripPlanner*sm on CD-ROM and load it to their unit as well.

“IOC attendees will have the opportunity to win a new ADR FG-7000T electronic flight bag preloaded with the EFB-compatible version of *UVTripPlanner*sm and a year's subscription to the service,” said Stephens. For more information on this and future promotions visit <http://www.universalweather.com/uvtripplanner/efbpromo/>.

Both the online and EFB versions of *UVTripPlanner*sm operate from a massive database far larger than possible in a print reference, containing more than 25,000 airport, heliport, and seaplane base landing facilities; 8,900 FBOs and handlers; 16,500 hotels near airports; 2,100 caterer listings; 8,000 transportation provider listings; and more than 1,000 airport diagrams for the top worldwide business airports, identifying FBO and handler locations.

*UVTripPlanner*sm is a comprehensive trip reference tool that Universal[®] compiles from a vast collection of data into a convenient, hands-on, print, CD-ROM and online pre-flight planning resource. The highly regarded *UVTripPlanner*sm print reference has set the standard for trip planning guides for many years and the soon-to-launch subscription-based, “real-time” online version.

For more information on any edition of the 2007 *UVTripPlanner*sm, visit uvtripplanner.com or e-mail uvtripplanner@universalweather.com.

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