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SKYWEST AIRLINES LTD

(“Skywest” or the “Company”)

Share repurchase for cancellation

The Board of Skywest announces that on 15 May 2009, the Company purchased 1,000,000 ordinary shares in the Company at a price of 7.5 pence per ordinary share. All the purchased shares will be held as Treasury shares.

Following the above purchase, the Company holds 1,000,000 ordinary shares in Treasury. The Company now has 195,300,000 ordinary shares in issue (excluding Treasury shares).

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