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TRANSITION PROGRAMME FOR İSTANBUL NEW AIRPORT (INA-LTFM)

Official launch date for INA is 29th of October 2018.

The conditions for the use of İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) and Istanbul New Airport (LTFM) are specified below during the transition period and afterwards.

1) As Specified Airport Transfer Chart Note 3 Below

As specified below Airport Transfer Chart Note 3; before 25th of October 2018, flights other than testing will not be permitted for Istanbul New Airport (LTFM).

2) Between the dates 25th and 30th of October 2018 00:00 UTC

In this time interval, Istanbul New Airport (LTFM) will only be available for limited numbers of base carriers transfer flights.

3) Airport Transfer Process (45 hours) From LTBA to LTFM

The transfer period from Istanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) to Istanbul New Airport (LTFM) will commence at 30 October 2018 00:00 UTC and end at 31 October 2018 21:00 UTC (See Airport Transfer Chart).

During the transfer period (45 hours); İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) and İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) will only be available for base carriers' flights and both Istanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) and Istanbul New Airport (LTFM) will be operating with a common reduced capacity per hour as stated below:

- LTBA and LTFM common 35 arrivals per hour,
- LTBA and LTFM common 35 departures per hour,
- LTBA and LTFM arrival/departure total common capacity per hour 70 will be applied.

(See Airport Transfer Chart Note 2).

4) Use of İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) After 31th of October 2018 21:00 UTC

As from 31th of October 2018 21:00 UTC, LTBA will be closed to scheduled/unscheduled domestic and international commercial passenger flights and will only be available for cargo, maintenance/technical, general aviation, air taxi, business, state aircraft flights and other flights permitted by Authority.

5) Capacity per Hour Values for the Slot Allocation Purposes to be used for İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) as from 31th of October 2018 21:00 UTC.

In order to avoid potential problems with the flow of air traffic and to provide safe and efficient ATC services for İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) Capacity per hour for İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) will be regulated as 5 Arrival and 5 Departure, total 10 traffic.

During the first 7 days following 31st of October 2018 21:00 UTC, when required additional measures and regulations will be applied.

6) Capacity per Hour Values for the Slot Allocation Purposes to be used for İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) as from 28th of October 2018 00:00 UTC.

For İstanbul New Airport (LTFM), Winter Schedule 2018/19 commencing as from 28th October 2018 00:00 UTC, capacity per hour for the Slot Allocation will be applied as 40 arrival, 40 departure, total 80 traffic.

In order to provide safe and efficient ATC services and to adapt airport layout, new airspace structure, the capacity reductions stated below will be applied until 14th of November 2018 21:00 UTC for LTBA and LTFM airports.

As, the flights, for the winter Schedule 2018/19 between the dates 28-29 October 2018 (the first two days of Winter Schedule 2018/19) will take place from LTBA, during this two days period reduced capacity will be applied as 35 Arrival, 35 Departure total 70 traffic per hour.

The implementation for the dates between 30-31 October 2018 is stated above at item 3.

Between the dates 31 October 2018 21:00 UTC and 14 November 2018 21:00 UTC reduced capacity per hour for İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) will be applied as 35 Arrival, 35 Departure total 70 traffic.

During these dates, the reduced capacity values for the slot allocation will be taken into account to avoid passenger inconvenience.

During these dates, when required additional measures will be applied with ATFM regulations.

7) Use of IATA Code(s) for İstanbul Atatürk Airport and İstanbul New Airport.

At 30th and 31th of October 2018, transition operation from İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) to İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) will be conducted. Within the scope of this operation; 31th of October 2018 00:00 UTC is assigned as a date for the IATA Airport Code Change and commencement of use of new IATA Airport Codes for these Airports.

For the Slot Allocation Planning Purposes; during 28th, 29th and 30th of October 2018 IATA Code "IST" shall be used for İstanbul Atatürk Airport and Level 3 Slot Allocation Procedures will be in force for this Airport,

As from 31th of October 2018 00:00 UTC, For the slot allocation purposes; İstanbul Atatürk Airport (LTBA) will be Level-2 and İstanbul New Airport (LTFM) will be Level-3 with all Slot Rights transferred from İstanbul Atatürk Airport. All the studies and coordination will be conducted in accordance with this schedule

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APPENDIX: AIRPORT TRANSFER CHART

*****ATATÜRK AIRPORT*****

29 Oct 2018	30 October 2018				31 October 2018			
	00.00-05.59	06.00-11.59	12.00-17.59	18.00-23.59	00.00-05.59	06.00-11.59	12.00-17.59	18.00-20.59
	-----16 hours-----			-----7 hours-----	-----12 hours-----		---5 hours---	---5 hours---
	<u>ONLY AVAILABLE</u> for Base carriers' commercial passenger flights (*) (THY, OHY, KKK)			<u>ONLY AVAILABLE</u> for THY's commercial passenger flights (*)	NOT AVAILABLE for all commercial passenger flights (*)			
	00.00		16.00	23.00		11.00	16.00	
	-----45 hours-----							
	-----Only available for Base carriers' transfer flights-----							

Starting at 00.00Z

Finishing at 20.59Z

(*) Technical/Maintenance, Base Carrier's Cargo, GA/BA Flights and other flights permitted by the authority, will be enabled to operate as far as practicable within the framework of the declared airport's capacity criteria. During the evaluation of these flights, their impact to the transfer process will be considered as the main priority.

*****İSTANBUL NEW AIRPORT*****

29 Oct 2018	30 October 2018				31 October 2018			
	00.00-05.59	06.00-11.59	12.00-17.59	18.00-23.59	00.00-05.59	06.00-11.59	12.00-17.59	18.00-20.59
	-----16 hours-----			-----7 hours-----	-----12 hours-----		---5 hours---	---5 hours---
	NOT AVAILABLE for all commercial passenger flights				<u>ONLY AVAILABLE</u> For THY's commercial passenger flights		<u>ONLY AVAILABLE</u> For Base carriers' commercial passenger flights (THY, OHY, KKK)	
	00.00		16.00	23.00		11.00	16.00	
	-----45 hours-----							
	-----Only available for Base carriers' transfer flights-----							

Starting at 00.00Z

Finishing at 20.59Z

NOTE:1. Chart is based on UTC.

2. During the transfer process both Atatürk and İstanbul New Airport will operate with a common reduced hourly capacity (35 arrival + 35 departure, total 70 movements/hour).

3. Before October 25th 2018, flights other than testing will not be permitted to İstanbul New Airport,