



JFK AIRPORT'S TERMINAL 4 SAW MILESTONE 2014

– With an expanded terminal, new upscale retail shops and restaurants, new airline partners, art installations and a record number of air travelers last year, 2015 promises much success –

QUEENS, NY –January 8, 2015 –After completing a dramatic building expansion, the opening of several high-end retail shops, food & beverage establishments and the addition of a new global airline to its roster, JFKIAT LLC – the company which manages Terminal 4 at John F. Kennedy International Airport – capped off the year with a celebration of the 17 millionth annual traveler – an increase of 2.6 million above the 2013 total.

“Terminal 4 had an extraordinary year thanks to our exceptional staff, our airline partners, concession operators and air travelers from all over the globe,” said **Gert-Jan de Graaff, President and CEO of JFKIAT, LLC**. “We are looking forward to an even more successful 2015 for one of the country’s most active air terminals.”

Expansion

Terminal 4, one of the largest air terminals in the New York area, is home to 31 international and domestic airlines, including Delta Air Lines, Emirates, Caribbean Airlines and Virgin Atlantic Airways. Phase II of a \$1.4 billion expansion will be completed this month and has added 11 more gates to the Terminal’s B-Concourse.

Retail

Terminal 4 welcomed new brand-name retailers, complementing an extensive duty free offering from DFS. These included Michael Kors, Victoria’s Secret, The Metropolitan Museum of Art, Bluwire, Hugo Boss, Swarovski, Tumi and Longchamp. New touch-screen interactive kiosks, directing travelers to gate locations and retail establishments, were installed in select locations throughout the terminal.

Restaurants

An array of premium restaurants has recently been made open to serve Terminal 4 travelers. Danny Meyer’s Shake Shack – which recently announced a \$100 million initial public offering – already operates a thriving modern day burger stand at the terminal, and recently opened a second location. The Palm Bar & Grille recently expanded its space, and added a breakfast menu, to accommodate even more airport travelers. Camden Food is a “magical market” where visitors can expect to find local flavors from regional farms and food artisans, as well as a bit of organic, fair-trade and something healthy for all tastes. McDonalds also relocated to a new 4,000 square foot space, which includes a dining room and a McCafe.

“The Central Diner”

Continuing its quest to offer the best culinary experience– in partnership with SSP America –a leading operator of food and beverage brands in travel locations worldwide –Terminal 4 opened the airport’s first full service, fully authentic New York City diner. The only diner to operate at any of New York City’s airports, the Central Diner is the only pre-security, sit-down dining option at the terminal. It features a traditional service counter surrounded by banquette, booth and patio seating. A take-out window is available to customers on the go.

A New Airline

Terminal 4 additionally welcomed a new airline partner, China Southern, to the T4 roster. With over a million Chinese Americans living and working in New York City and approximately 650,000 Chinese tourists visiting New York City per year, this new direct route from Guangzhou will strengthen the relationship between the two regions by increasing opportunities for tourism and communication. The new service makes New York City China Southern’s third North American destination following Los Angeles and Vancouver. China Southern is a member of SkyTeam, which offers passengers a worldwide system of more than 19,000 daily flights spanning more than 1,000 destinations in 187 countries.

17 Million Passengers

The terminal set a new record by serving 17.1 million passengers in 2014. This represents an 18-percent surge in passengers over 2013, an overall increase of 2.6 million. To celebrate the landmark occasion, JFKIAT, Delta Air Lines, and the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey awarded prizes and perks to the seventeenth millionth passenger, including upgraded seats and a shopping spree at the Terminal’s retailers.

Security

With the goal of further minimizing delays during peak periods and unanticipated schedule changes, JFKIAT invested \$4 million in additional Automated Passport Control (APC) kiosks in 2014. APC is a U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) program that expedites the entry process for U.S., Canadian and eligible Visa Waiver Program international travelers by providing an automated process through CBP’s Primary Inspection area.

In addition, JFKIAT in conjunction with the Transportation Security Administration began a canine screening initiative to expedite screening during peak periods.

Art

In 2014, Terminal 4 also unveiled three new sculptures as part of an exclusive commission executed by renowned artist Dimitar Lukanov. The installation of the completed ensemble of three sculptures –“Voice of Tomorrow”, “History of Time” and “Outside Time”–adds to Terminal 4’s already impressive collection of private art throughout the building.

About JFKIAT

JFKIAT, LLC is the operator of Terminal 4 at John F. Kennedy International Airport, one of the most active air terminals in the New York area, serving 31 international and domestic airlines with an annual passenger volume of more than 17.1 million travelers in 2014. With an expansion completed in 2014, passengers traveling through Terminal 4 can visit an

outstanding selection of new and upgraded restaurants and bars, including world-class eateries, well-known casual dining, healthy options, and food-to-go. Terminal 4's expansive shopping mall offers an unparalleled shopping experience for travelers with a wide range of retail options from chic, upscale boutiques, to convenience stores, to electronics, accessories and gifts. Terminal 4 is the only air terminal in North America operated by a private management company. JFKIAT, LLC is owned by Schiphol USA Inc., a U.S. affiliate of Schiphol Group. Visit us at www.jfkiat.com.

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