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REX INCREASES BRISBANE-CAIRNS SERVICES

Rex today announced that following a successful commencement of services on the Brisbane to Cairns route in November 2023, Rex will increase services on the route with effect from Monday 4 March 2024.

On 22 November 2023, Rex commenced a new service on the Brisbane to Cairns route with the De Havilland Dash 8-400NG aircraft operated by Rex Group member National Jet Express (NJE).

From 4 March 2024, commuters will be able to experience Rex's renowned service on Mondays too. The new Monday service will depart Brisbane at 1.55pm and depart Cairns at 9.40pm with fares priced from \$149 one-way, \$48 cheaper than the lowest Qantas fare.

"The additional Dash 8-400 services between Brisbane and Cairns will add more seat capacity to one of the busiest days of the week between Brisbane and Cairns and this in turn will drive down ticket prices to the benefit of all travellers," said Rex's General Manager of Network Strategy Warrick Lodge.

"In October 2023, Rex launched its loyalty program, Rex Flyer, and I would urge all regular travellers on the Brisbane to Cairns route to register to begin earning Rex frequent flyer points and status on all Rex routes, including the Brisbane to Cairns route. Those who reach the higher status levels will soon be able to relax in the comfort of the Rex lounge at Brisbane Airport, opening in a few months' time." Mr Lodge said.

Rex is Australia's largest independent regional and domestic airline operating a fleet of 57 Saab 340 and 10 Boeing 737-800NG aircraft to 56 destinations throughout all states in Australia. In addition to the airline Rex, the Rex Group comprises wholly owned subsidiaries Pel-Air Aviation (air freight, aeromedical and charter operator), the Australian Airline Pilot Academy with campuses in Wagga Wagga and Ballarat, and propeller maintenance organisation, Australian Aerospace Propeller Maintenance. Rex is also a 50% shareholder of National Jet Express (NJE), a premier Fly-In-Fly-Out (FIFO), charter and freight operator.

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