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ETIHAD REGIONAL ANNOUNCES NEW FLIGHT SCHEDULE FOR BUSINESS TRAVELLERS ON GENEVA-LUGANO ROUTE

Etihad Regional, operated by Darwin Airline, today announced an enhanced flight schedule for services between Geneva and Lugano, designed to offer business travellers convenient travel times and improved connectivity.

Effective today, the new flight schedule will significantly enhance the guest experience with convenient morning departures and early evening return flights. Outbound F711 will depart Geneva at 8.30am local time and arrive in Lugano at 9.20am, while the return leg F718 will leave Lugano at 5.15pm and land in Geneva at 6.05pm in the evening.

The Lugano-based airline is also offering promotional fares from CHF88 on the Geneva-Lugano route; multiple leg subscriptions for frequent flyers, and a strong focus on punctuality with the recently launched new “Tic-Toc” service.

Maurizio Merlo, Etihad Regional’s Chief Executive Officer, said: “We have operated this route for the past 12 years, which puts us in a good position to act on our guests’ feedback. We constantly evaluate timings across our scheduled network to ensure we offer the best possible services. After careful analysis, we are introducing new timings to suit business travellers flying between Geneva and Lugano, which will offer them greater flexibility and convenience.”

Schedules and prices are available on www.etihadregional.com.

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About Etihad Regional, operated by Darwin Airline

Etihad Regional is the new European brand operated by Switzerland's leading regional carrier, Darwin Airline, founded in 2003. Etihad Regional, a full service airline, currently operates with a fleet of seven 50-seat Saab 2000 turboprop aircraft and four 68-seat ATR 72-500s, serving several destinations in four European countries: Switzerland, France, Italy, and Spain. Besides serving a range of key secondary cities in Europe, Etihad Regional also offers international destinations around the world through its 33.3 per cent shareholding equity and codeshare partner, Etihad Airways.

Through this partnership, all Etihad Guest, MilleMiglia, topbonus and JetPrivilege members can earn and redeem miles on all eligible Etihad Regional flights.

The airline's head office is located in Lugano with major operational hub in Geneva. For more information, please visit www.etihadregional.com.

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