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Media Advisory

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Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport Emergency Exercise

WHAT: This triennial exercise allows the airport and first response agencies to evaluate our emergency response systems, techniques, capabilities, and communication networks as they relate to a major aircraft incident. While this training is required for U.S. airports by the Federal Aviation Administration, each participating agency has the opportunity to achieve and refine their training skills as well. There are more than 10 agencies involved, but those playing the largest roles include: the Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport Operations, the Mississippi Air National Guard Combat Readiness Training Center, the Gulfport Fire Department, American Medical Response, the Gulfport Police Department, the Federal Aviation Administration, the Transportation Security Administration, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the American Red Cross, and numerous airlines.

WHEN: 9:00A.M. on Tuesday, May 10, 2011.

WHERE: Gulfport-Biloxi International Airport

DETAILS: All media inquiries must be pre-arranged by Monday, May 9, 2011 no later than 2pm. Due to security concerns RSVP's are required. To RSVP please contact Ashley Duke by phone or e-mail at (228) 863-5951 Ext. 3036 or e-mail ADuke@flygpt.com. Directions will be provided upon receiving your RSVP.
