



## News Release

### **Air Mauritius to operate a two-class configuration on its wide bodied fleet by 1<sup>st</sup> July 2008 and unveils its new business class seat.**

Air Mauritius wide bodied fleet of Airbus A340 and A330 aircraft will operate in a two-class configuration by the 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2008.

The first A330 aircraft which will be delivered in November 2007 will be equipped with 24 business class seats and 251 economy class seats.



The existing five A340-300C and two A340-300E aircraft will subsequently be reconfigured into a two-class configuration during the period from March to June 2008. These aircraft will then be commercialised with 34 business class seats and 264/266 economy class seats.

The new business class lie-flat seat was presented to the trade partners in Mauritius today in the presence of The Honourable Xavier Duval, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister of Tourism, Leisure and External Communications.



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Manoj R K Ujoodha, Air Mauritius Chief Executive Officer says "We are delighted to present our new business class seat today. We will offer a new level of comfort to our upper class passengers as the seats are deployed on all our A340 and A330 aircraft. This is an important milestone in our change process, and as we move forward and position ourselves to be our customers' and partners' preferred leisure airline. We will further align our services so that we deliver the unique Mauritian experience on board our aircraft and on the ground."

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*Air Mauritius is the national carrier of the Republic of Mauritius in the Indian Ocean. Created in 1967, it currently operates a fleet of five Airbus A340-300, two A340-300E, two A319 and two ATR 72's. Air Mauritius presently flies to twenty six destinations in Europe, Asia, Australia and Africa.*



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