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To: All Member Associations  
Executive Board  
PGA Committee Members  
IFALPA Staff

## Request for Mutual Assistance for SNPL France ALPA

Dear Colleagues,

The Syndicat National des Pilotes de Ligne (SNPL - France ALPA), are requesting Mutual Assistance on behalf of **HOP!** pilots.

Negotiations between SNPL and the airline management on a new Collective Labour Agreement have been unsuccessful for the past six months. After merging three companies during last year: Regional, Airlinair and Britair, the three companies ended up having three different CLAs and HOP's management intentions are to level down the new CLA. A first strike notice was issued for the 3-8 of July but later postponed for 10 days.

Due to the lack of further developments, **HOP!** pilots have no other option than to take industrial action, in form of a strike, from 13-18 July, 2017.

Therefore, SNPL France ALPA requests, through IFALPA, the following Mutual Assistance starting on **13 July** at 00:01 LT, **until 18 July** at 23:59 LT:

**Request for Ban on Wet Leasing (2.4.1.1)**

**Request for Freeze in Capacity (2.4.1.3)**

**Assistance to Pilots Stranded Away from Home Base (2.4.4)**

**Request for Denial of Cockpit Crew Contracting (2.4.5)**

SNPL France ALPA will keep IFALPA and its Member Associations informed of any further developments.

Best Regards,

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