



# BOMBARDIER CELEBRATES ENTRY-INTO-SERVICE OF GLOBAL 8000 AIRCRAFT

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**Bombardier celebrated entry-into-service of its Global 8000 business aircraft during a special event held at its state-of-the-art Aircraft Assembly Centre in Mississauga, Ontario in the presence of employees, government officials, suppliers, media and special guests. Patrick Dovigi, buyer of the first Global 8000 aircraft, accepted the keys to his brand-new private jet, while Canadian rock star Tom Cochrane presented by Rolling Stone Canada delivered a powerful performance fitting for the debut of the world’s fastest civil aircraft since the famed Concorde.**

Éric Martel, President and CEO, Bombardier commented: “Pride and excitement only begin to describe what the entry-into-service of the Global 8000 means for all 18,000 of us at Bombardier. Every innovation and every detail of the Global 8000 reflects the hard work, creativity and dedication of our teams. This revolutionary aircraft is redefining the business aviation landscape with its innovative design, signature smooth ride, unmatched performance and a promise fulfilled to our customers.”

Stephen McCullough, Senior Vice President, Engineering and Product Development, Bombardier

stated: “Today’s celebration is a testament to the rigour and dedication of our talented employees and suppliers who have collectively enabled our Global 8000 to set the new standard for speed, range and cabin comfort in the industry. This is truly an historic moment for Bombardier, our suppliers and the thousands of dedicated professionals who have brought a no-compromise attitude to this project every single day. Their commitment and dedication underscores everything we do at Bombardier – pushing the boundaries of what’s possible.”

Earlier this year, the Global 8000 aircraft seamlessly achieved several significant milestones, including completing the flight-test program, becoming the fastest civil aircraft since the Concorde with a top speed of Mach 0.95, adding a new, industry-leading lowest cabin altitude in production of 2,691 ft. at 41,000 ft., and receiving Transport Canada Type Certification this past November – all according to plan, meeting its commitment to stakeholders and customers. Certification by FAA and EASA are pending.

Global 8000 is the only true four-zone business jet to offer a range of 8,000 NM, enabling nonstop travel between more city pairs than ever before. In addition to its long-range capabilities, the aircraft remains remarkably agile, with takeoff and landing performance comparable to that of a light jet. Its advanced wing design featuring leading-edge slats enable customers to master up to 30% more airports – the equivalent of more than 2,000 destinations – than its closest rival.

Inside, the Global 8000 aircraft sets an extremely high bar in terms of luxury and comfort. This trailblazing business jet offers exceptional comfort, featuring four true living spaces and a separate crew rest area. The discerning business jet features the longest seated length in its class along with signature cabin features such as Bombardier’s P?r Air System, Soleil circadian lighting system and the lowest cabin altitude in production, all designed to maximize passenger comfort and prevent the effects of jet lag.

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