

## Operational Newsletter (various)

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Dear Valued Customer,

### **DRC airline to be dissolved**

Korongo Airlines - national airline of the Democratic Republic of the Congo - has announced plans to dissolve the company.

This comes after it was unable to reach profitability due to a lack of critical mass. Its operations are based on a fleet of only one aircraft, which does not offer sufficient possibilities to amortise the fixed costs of an airline operation respecting all international safety standards.

*Source: FTW Online, 8<sup>th</sup> September 2015*

### **Direct Lusaka-Durban flights launched**

Proflight Zambia will start direct flights from Lusaka to Durban this month. The airline said its latest route was part of a strategy to expand across southern Africa and make Lusaka a hub for air travel throughout the region.

Proflight will fly three times a week to Durban from September 22 using its 50-seater CRJ-100 aircraft.

*Source: FTW Online, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2015*

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