

**PRESS RELEASE**

**Skylander in Russia: continuing negotiations**

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On 30 November 2011 AVIAMOST and SKY AIRCRAFT, a subsidiary of GECI Aviation, signed a MoU relating to the purchase of 40 Skylander aircraft, with an option for 260 additional aircraft. The GECI International Group informs the Market that the negotiations are continuing.

Within an environment of strong demand in the Russian regional air transport market, importing aircraft is part of a process that requires listing with the federal authorities. In addition to this listing, and to facilitate commercial deployment in Russia and limit import taxes, AVIAMOST and SKY AIRCRAFT are together investigating integration of Russian components into Skylander aircraft to be delivered in Russia.

The Company will release a further statement on finalization of the negotiations.

**About GECI International**

For 30 years, GECI International has been established as a specialist in high technology engineering, with a preponderant presence in the world of aeronautics. Working in the four corners of the world, GECI International's 1,000 staff, engineers and researchers are constantly ready to meet today's and tomorrow's technological challenges.

GECI International combines excellence, passion to innovation to propose, on the one hand, via its GECI Engineering division an offer of expertise and global solutions in the fields of aeronautics, transport and infrastructures and, on the other, via its GECI Aviation a range of twin turboprop aircraft: the F406 and the Skylander SK-105.

The F406, produced by Reims Aviation Industries, is recognised by operators worldwide as an aircraft that is particularly suited to surveillance missions. The Skylander SK-105, produced by Sky Aircraft, stands out due to its exceptional performances, its ability to operate in extreme environments and its very competitive purchase and maintenance costs.

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