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## Getting in the Spirit: Airline Announces New Service from PHL

Spirit Airlines to expand at Philadelphia International Airport with daily flights to Atlanta

**PHILADELPHIA** – Spirit Airlines, "THE Ultra Low Fare Airline," announced today that it will expand its presence at Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) with daily nonstop service to Atlanta Hartsfield Jackson International Airport beginning June 18.

Atlanta will become the fifth destination out of PHL for the Florida-based airline, which entered the Philadelphia market in 2013 with flights to Dallas-Fort Worth. Spirit subsequently added service to Las Vegas and Myrtle Beach from PHL and on April 16, Spirit will begin nonstop flights to Chicago O'Hare International Airport.

"This is exciting news for travelers in the Philadelphia region and beyond, especially in light of upcoming major events that will be taking place in Philadelphia," said Airport CEO Mark Gale. "We are very pleased that Spirit is expanding service at PHL and giving travelers more low-fare choices to Atlanta, a key destination. More affordable low-fare flights spur competition, which is great for the flying public and Philadelphia International Airport. We look forward to Spirit adding more of their Ultra Low Fare flights to more destinations from PHL."

Spirit will join the new American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Frontier Airlines and Southwest Airlines in offering nonstop service to Atlanta from Philadelphia.

Spirit operates 325 daily flights to 57 destinations in the U.S., Latin America, the Caribbean and Canada.

For more information, visit www.spirit.com

Philadelphia International Airport is owned and operated by the City of Philadelphia. The Airport is a self-sustaining entity that operates without the use of local tax dollars. It is one of the largest economic engines in Pennsylvania, generating an estimated \$14.4 billion in spending to the regional economy and accounting for more than 141,000 jobs.