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## Poised for Growth Following Successful Capital Raises

#### Primed to capture attractive new investment opportunities

Generated more than \$1 billion of new liquidity since the beginning of 2016 Secured more than \$850 million in new 2016 investments to date

## Continuing to upgrade fleet and de-risk business

Further asset sales successes

Larger and longer dated unsecured revolver

## Aircastle positioned to thrive

Limited long-term capital expenditure commitments

Strong partnerships with strategic shareholders yielding tangible results

## Obtained nearly \$700 million in unsecured financing from several different sources

Submitted notice to repay Securitization No. 2, freeing up ~\$500 million in collateral

## Sold 12 aircraft for gains of \$12.8 million

Includes two A330s sold to reduce wide-body exposure

Secured more than \$850 million in new 2016 investments to date

Maintained excellent operating performance; 99.6% utilization

Created a new joint venture with IBJ Leasing of Japan and sold four aircraft to our joint venture with Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan

Declared dividend of \$0.24 per common share; 40<sup>th</sup> consecutive quarterly dividend

Repurchased over 1.6 million shares during Q1 at an average price of \$18.83

## **Key Financial Metrics – Q1:16**



## Net income was \$36.3 million

\$0.46 per diluted common share

## Adjusted net income was \$44.1 million

\$0.56 per diluted common share

Adjusted EBITDA was \$183.9 million

Lease rental and finance lease revenues increased 2% to \$183.1 million

Cash ROE was 15.2% and Net cash interest margin was 8.8%



### Issued \$500 million of unsecured notes

5.00% coupon with maturity in 2023

Transaction followed upgrade of Aircastle's unsecured debt rating by Moody's to Ba1

## **Enlarged unsecured revolver to \$675 million**

Extended term one year to 2020

Provides further flexibility and financial security

## Completed inaugural \$120 million unsecured loan in Japanese bank market

Transaction has a three year term and involves seven institutions led by DBJ

Deal leverages our strong relationship with Marubeni, our largest shareholder

## Submitted notice to repay Securitization No. 2 in May

Will free up approximately \$500 million in collateral

## More attractive investment opportunities, particularly for secondary market deals

Acquisitions centering on current technology narrow-body aircraft

## **Executing profitably on sales program in 2016**

Continuing to upgrade and de-risk our portfolio through sales

| Q1:16 Acquisitions & Sales    |                           |                 |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
|                               | Acquisitions <sup>1</sup> | Completed Sales |  |  |  |  |
| Investments / Sales Proceeds  | >\$850 million            | \$306 million   |  |  |  |  |
| Total Number of Aircraft      | 29                        | 12              |  |  |  |  |
| Weighted Average Aircraft Age | 7 years                   | 9 years         |  |  |  |  |
| Narrow-bodies                 | 26                        | 10³             |  |  |  |  |
| Wide-bodies                   | <b>3</b> <sup>2</sup>     | 2               |  |  |  |  |

<sup>1.</sup> Includes closed and committed deals as well as transactions with confirmed letters of intent.

Assumed to be on last leases.

<sup>3.</sup> Includes four narrow-body aircraft sold to our joint venture with Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan.



## Successfully utilizing joint ventures to expand Aircastle's opportunities





#### Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan JV lets us pursue big deals/ manage exposures

Q1:16 acquisitions brought JV assets to more than \$600 million

New IBJ Leasing JV aimed at newer narrow-body aircraft with premier lessees

Expect to complete first deal in Q2:16



## **Expanded owned fleet by \$1.7 billion in past five years**

## Shifted fleet mix to younger aircraft with longer remaining lease terms

| \$ in billions                               | Q1:11 | Q1:12 | Q1:13 | Q1:14 | Q1:15 | Q1:16 | Q1:16<br>vs<br>Q1:11 |
|----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------|
| Flight Equipment Held for Lease <sup>1</sup> | \$4.1 | \$4.4 | \$4.7 | \$5.8 | \$5.8 | \$5.8 | +\$1.7               |
| Wtd. Avg. Fleet Age (years) <sup>2</sup>     | 10.7  | 11.1  | 10.9  | 9.1   | 8.3   | 7.6   | -3.1                 |
| Wtd. Avg. Lease Term (years) <sup>3</sup>    | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 5.6   | 5.6   | +0.9                 |
| Managed Aircraft <sup>1</sup>                | -     | -     | -     | \$0.2 | \$0.5 | \$0.6 | +\$0.6               |

<sup>1.</sup> Calculated using net book value of flight equipment held for lease and net investment in finance leases at period end.

<sup>2.</sup> Weighted average age by net book value.

<sup>3.</sup> Weighted average remaining lease term by net book value.



## Recent investments oriented towards current generation narrow-bodies

## Reducing freighter and classic generation aircraft

| Aircraft Type              |               | Q1:11 | Q1:12 | Q1:13 | Q1:14 | Q1:15 | Q1:16 | Q1:16<br>vs<br>Q1:11 |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------|
| <b>Current Generation</b>  | # of Aircraft | 60    | 65    | 73    | 85    | 93    | 105   | +45                  |
| Narrow-bodies <sup>1</sup> | %NBV          | 33%   | 32%   | 33%   | 30%   | 36%   | 45%   | +12%                 |
| Current Generation         | # of Aircraft | 18    | 20    | 23    | 37    | 36    | 31    | +13                  |
| Wide-bodies                | %NBV          | 24%   | 27%   | 30%   | 49%   | 49%   | 44%   | +20%                 |
| Fusishtous                 | # of Aircraft | 21    | 25    | 26    | 18    | 15    | 11    | -10                  |
| Freighters                 | %NBV          | 31%   | 31%   | 29%   | 16%   | 14%   | 11%   | -20%                 |
| Classic Generation         | # of Aircraft | 35    | 35    | 36    | 24    | 8     | 6     | -29                  |
| Aircraft                   | %NBV          | 12%   | 11%   | 8%    | 4%    | 1%    | 1%    | -11%                 |

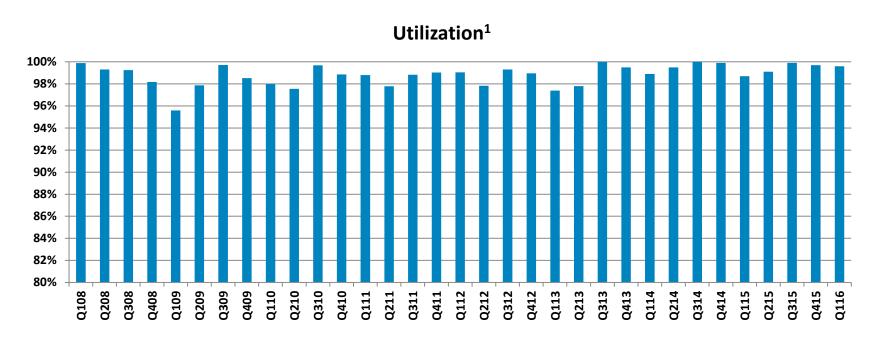
<sup>1.</sup> Includes Embraer E-Jets



## 99.6% utilization during Q1:16, consistent with strong performance track record

#### Minimal lease placement requirements in 2016

Making progress placing three new 737-800s; only one other aircraft to place in 2016



<sup>1.</sup> Aircraft on-lease days as a percent of total days in period weighted by NBV.

## Lease rental & finance lease revenues of \$183.1 million, up \$4.3 million versus Q1:15

\$33.2 million higher from aircraft additions, partially offset by aircraft sales and other net revenue reductions of \$28.9 million

## Maintenance revenue decreased by \$16.8 million

Q1:15 included two lease expirations with significant return compensation payments

| Revenue Summary                                          |          |          |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| \$ millions                                              | Q1:16    | Q1:15    |  |  |  |  |
| Lease Rental and Finance Lease Revenues                  | \$ 183.1 | \$ 178.8 |  |  |  |  |
| Amortization of Lease Premiums, Discounts and Incentives | (1.1)    | (3.8)    |  |  |  |  |
| Maintenance Revenue                                      | 1.3      | 18.1     |  |  |  |  |
| Total Lease Revenue                                      | 183.3    | 193.0    |  |  |  |  |
| Other Revenue                                            | 0.4      | 1.3      |  |  |  |  |
| Total Revenues                                           | \$ 183.7 | \$ 194.3 |  |  |  |  |

### Adjusted net income was \$44.1 million, down \$6.4 million from Q1:15

\$16.8 million of lower maintenance revenues

Offset by \$4.3 million of higher lease rental and finance lease revenues and \$6.6 million of higher gain on sale of flight equipment

#### Adjusted EBITDA was \$183.9 million, down \$6.3 million from Q1:15

Reflects \$16.8 million of lower maintenance revenues partially offset by \$10.9 million of higher lease rental and finance lease revenues and gain on sale of flight equipment

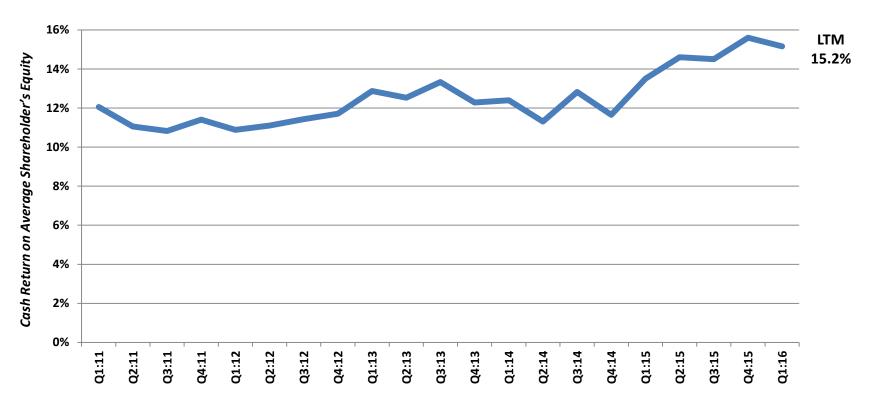
| Earnings Summary                      |         |         |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|--|--|--|
| \$ millions, except per share amounts | Q1:16   | Q1:15   |  |  |  |
| Net Income                            | \$ 36.3 | \$ 43.3 |  |  |  |
| per diluted common share              | \$ 0.46 | \$ 0.53 |  |  |  |
| Adjusted Net Income                   | \$ 44.1 | \$ 50.5 |  |  |  |
| per diluted common share              | \$ 0.56 | \$ 0.62 |  |  |  |
| EBITDA                                | \$182.2 | \$188.9 |  |  |  |
| Adjusted EBITDA                       | \$183.9 | \$190.2 |  |  |  |

Note: Non-GAAP items reconciled in the Appendix.



## Trailing twelve month Cash ROE was 15.2%; averaged 12.5% since January 2011

Increasing cash returns and economic profitability driving dividend growth



Note: Cash ROE = Cash Flow From Operations plus collections on finance leases and gain (loss) on sale of flight equipment less depreciation plus distributions received from our Joint Venture with Ontario Teachers', divided by average shareholder's equity. Average Shareholder's Equity is the average of the most recent five quarters period end shareholder's equity. The ratio is calculated on a rolling 12 month basis.



## \$488 million returned to shareholders since start of 2011

#### Increased ROE over time through new investments and aircraft sales

Increased NBV of flight equipment by \$1.7 billion

#### **Returned capital to shareholders**

Paid \$299 million of dividends

## Opportunistically repurchased shares at a discount to book value

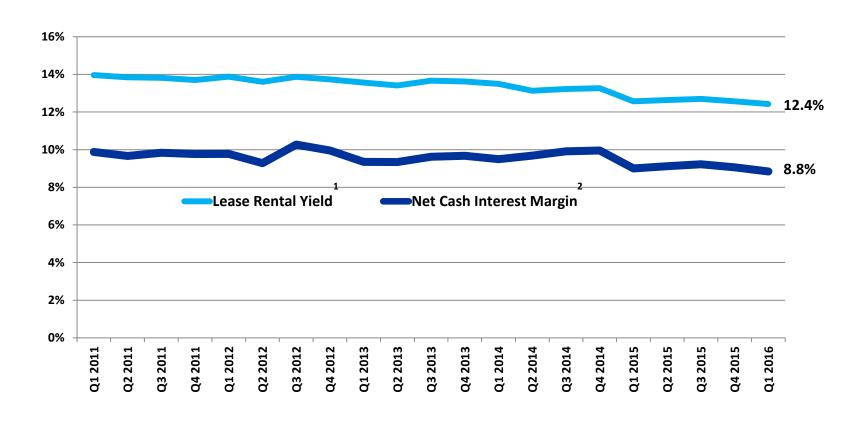
Repurchased \$189 million of shares

169% Total Shareholder's Return<sup>1</sup> 85% for S&P 500, 75% for S&P 400 and 49% for BKX

<sup>1.</sup> Source: Bloomberg. Total Shareholder's Return includes cumulative gross dividends plus share price appreciation from December 31, 2010 through the close on April 28, 2016. BKX is the KBW Philadelphia Bank Index.

## Lower revenue yields offset by lower funding costs

## Net cash interest margins remain solid



<sup>1.</sup> Lease Rental Yield = Operating lease rental revenue / average monthly NBV of flight equipment for the period calculated on a quarterly basis, annualized.

Net Cash Interest Margin = Lease Rental Yield minus Interest on borrowings, net of settlements on interest rate derivatives, and other liabilities / average monthly NBV of flight equipment for the period calculated on a quarterly basis, annualized.



## Net debt to equity of 2.1x

75% of total debt is unsecured

## Average remaining life of debt is 4.2 years

No debt maturities until 2017

## \$675 million in available revolver capacity<sup>1</sup>

Unrestricted cash of \$594 million

#### \$4.3 billion of unencumbered assets

<sup>1.</sup> Bank revolver was increased to \$675 million from \$600 million in March 2016. As of March 31, 2016, there were no drawings under the revolver.



|                                        | As of Mar | As of Mar 31, 2016 |       | As of Dec 31, 2015 |       | 31, 2014          |
|----------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------------|
|                                        | \$MM      | Rate <sup>2</sup>  | \$MM  | Rate <sup>2</sup>  | \$MM  | Rate <sup>2</sup> |
| Total Secured Debt                     | 1,043     | 3.24%              | 1,171 | 3.17%              | 1,396 | 2.96%             |
| Total Unsecured Debt                   | 3,200     | 5.77%              | 2,925 | 5.66%              | 2,400 | 5.70%             |
| Total Debt & Wtd Avg Rate <sup>3</sup> | 4,243     | 5.14%              | 4,096 | 4.95%              | 3,796 | 4.69%             |
| Shareholders' Equity                   | 1,771     |                    | 1,779 |                    | 1,720 |                   |
| Net Debt to Equity                     | 2.1x      |                    | 2.2x  |                    | 2.1x  |                   |
| Unsecured debt to total debt           | 75%       |                    | 71%   |                    | 63%   |                   |

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<sup>3.</sup> The debt totals in the above table do not include debt issuance costs or discount which are reflected in the net debt totals that are displayed on the consolidated balance sheet.



#### \$ in millions

| Guidance Item                                            | Q2:16         |
|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Lease rental revenue                                     | \$177 - \$181 |
| Finance lease revenue                                    | \$3 - \$4     |
| Maintenance revenue                                      | \$6 - \$8     |
| Amortization of lease premiums, discounts and incentives | (\$3) - (\$4) |
| SG&A                                                     | \$14 - \$15   |
| Depreciation                                             | \$76 - \$78   |
| Interest, net <sup>1</sup>                               | \$63 - \$65   |
| Gain on sale                                             | \$0 - \$2     |
| Full year effective tax rate                             | 10% - 11%     |

<sup>1.</sup> Includes non-cash hedge loss amortization charges related to the payoff of Securitization No.1 of \$2.2 million.

# **Appendix**

## **Diversified Customer Base with Broad Geographic Distribution**

#### 53 airline customers across the globe

Largest individual exposure comprises 7.3% of total NBV

# Most top customers are large flag carriers and leading LCCs

|                       | Top Ten Lessees       |              |           |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|
| % of NBV <sup>1</sup> | Customer              | Country      | #Aircraft |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Avianca Brazil        | Brazil       | 10        |  |  |  |  |  |
| >6% per Customer      | LATAM                 | Chile        | 3         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Lion Air              | Indonesia    | 10        |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | South African Airways | South Africa | 4         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Thai Airways          | Thailand     | 2         |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4% to 6% per          | Singapore Airlines    | Singapore    | 4         |  |  |  |  |  |
| Customer              | AirAsia X             | Malaysia     | 3         |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Iberia                | Spain        | 12        |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Air Berlin            | Germany      | 11        |  |  |  |  |  |
|                       | Emirates              | U.A.E.       | 2         |  |  |  |  |  |

# Regional distribution evolving with global trends

Asian customers now 38% of portfolio NBV vs. 20% at YE 2009

European exposure now 25% of total NBV vs. 46% at YE 2009

#### Airline customers in 33 countries

| Top Ten Countries    |       |                       |  |  |  |
|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Country              | # A/C | % of NBV <sup>1</sup> |  |  |  |
| Indonesia            | 17    | 10.7%                 |  |  |  |
| Brazil               | 15    | 9.6%                  |  |  |  |
| Malaysia             | 9     | 7.1%                  |  |  |  |
| Chile                | 3     | 6.6%                  |  |  |  |
| South Africa         | 4     | 5.1%                  |  |  |  |
| Thailand             | 2     | 5.1%                  |  |  |  |
| Singapore            | 4     | 5.0%                  |  |  |  |
| Germany              | 13    | 4.6%                  |  |  |  |
| United Arab Emirates | 3     | 4.4%                  |  |  |  |
| Russia               | 4     | 4.2%                  |  |  |  |

<sup>1.</sup> Percentage of net book value. Figures as of March 31, 2016.

## **Capital Structure & Liquidity Summary**

| (\$ in millions)                       | As of Mar. 3 | 31, 2016          | As | of Dec. 31 | 1, 2015 | As of Dec. 3 | 1, 2014 |
|----------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|----|------------|---------|--------------|---------|
| Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents | \$ 594       |                   | \$ | 156        |         | \$ 170       |         |
| Debt                                   | <u>0/s</u>   | Rate <sup>1</sup> |    | <u>0/s</u> | Rate1   | <u>0/s</u>   | Rate1   |
| Securitization No. 2                   | 79           | 1.58%             |    | 125        | 1.58%   | 392          | 1.58%   |
| ECA Term Financings                    | 336          | 3.53%             |    | 404        | 3.57%   | 450          | 3.57%   |
| Bank Financings                        | 628          | 3.29%             |    | 641        | 3.23%   | 555          | 3.44%   |
| Total Secured Debt                     | 1,043        | 3.24%             |    | 1,171      | 3.17%   | 1,396        | 2.96%   |
| Bank Revolver                          | -            | -                 |    | 225        | 2.67%   | 200          | 2.41%   |
| Senior Notes due 2017                  | 500          | 6.75%             |    | 500        | 6.75%   | 500          | 6.75%   |
| Senior Notes due 2018                  | 400          | 4.63%             |    | 400        | 4.63%   | 400          | 4.63%   |
| Senior Notes due 2019                  | 500          | 6.25%             |    | 500        | 6.25%   | 500          | 6.25%   |
| Senior Notes due 2020                  | 300          | 7.63%             |    | 300        | 7.63%   | 300          | 7.63%   |
| Senior Notes due 2021                  | 500          | 5.13%             |    | 500        | 5.13%   | 500          | 5.13%   |
| Senior Notes due 2022                  | 500          | 5.50%             |    | 500        | 5.50%   |              |         |
| Senior Notes due 2023                  | 500          | 5.00%             |    |            |         |              |         |
| Total Unsecured Debt                   | 3,200        | 5.77%             |    | 2,925      | 5.66%   | 2,400        | 5.70%   |
| Total Debt and Weighted Avg. Rate      | 4,243        | 5.14%             |    | 4,096      | 4.95%   | 3,796        | 4.69%   |
| Shareholders' equity                   | 1,771        |                   |    | 1,779      |         | 1,720        |         |
| Total capitalization                   | \$ 6,014     |                   | \$ | 5,875      |         | \$ 5,517     |         |
| Net debt to equity                     | 2.1 x        |                   |    | 2.2 x      |         | 2.1 x        |         |
| Unsecured debt to total debt           | 75%          |                   |    | 71%        |         | 63%          |         |

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# **Supplemental Financial Information**

## Three Months Ended

|                                                       | March      | 31,        |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| in thousands, except per share amounts                | 2016       | 2015       |
| Revenues                                              | \$ 183,665 | \$ 194,296 |
| EBITDA                                                | \$ 182,159 | \$ 188,933 |
| Adjusted EBITDA                                       | \$ 183,879 | \$ 190,214 |
| Adjusted net income                                   | \$ 44,091  | \$ 50,457  |
| Adjusted net income (loss) allocable to common shares | \$ 43,772  | \$ 50,136  |
| Per common share - Basic                              | \$ 0.56    | \$ 0.62    |
| Per common share - Diluted                            | \$ 0.56    | \$ 0.62    |
| Basic common shares outstanding                       | 78,543     | 80,564     |
| Diluted common shares outstanding                     | 78,543     | 80,564     |



# Three Months Ended March 31.

|                                                                     | \$ in thousands |         |    | 3       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|----|---------|
|                                                                     |                 | 2016    |    | 2015    |
| Net income                                                          | \$              | 36,262  | \$ | 43,269  |
| Depreciation                                                        |                 | 76,647  |    | 74,846  |
| Amortization of net lease discounts and lease incentives            |                 | 1,070   |    | 3,824   |
| Interest, net                                                       |                 | 64,241  |    | 62,131  |
| Income tax provision                                                |                 | 3,939   |    | 4,863   |
| EBITDA                                                              | \$              | 182,159 | \$ | 188,933 |
| Adjustments:                                                        |                 |         |    |         |
| Non-cash share based payment expense                                |                 | 1,643   |    | 1,170   |
| (Gain) loss on mark to market of interest rate derivative contracts |                 | 77      |    | 111     |
| Adjusted EBITDA                                                     | \$              | 183,879 | \$ | 190,214 |

We define EBITDA as income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes, interest expense, and depreciation and amortization. We use EBITDA to assess our consolidated financial and operating performance, and we believe this non-US GAAP measure is helpful in identifying trends in our performance. This measure provides an assessment of controllable expenses and affords management the ability to make decisions which are expected to facilitate meeting current financial goals as well as achieving optimal financial performance. It provides an indicator for management to determine if adjustments to current spending decisions are needed. EBITDA provides us with a measure of operating performance because it assists us in comparing our operating performance on a consistent basis as it removes the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest charges on our outstanding debt) and asset base (primarily depreciation and amortization) from our operating results. Accordingly, this metric measures our financial performance based on operational factors that management can impact in the short-term, namely the cost structure, or expenses, of the organization. EBITDA is one of the metrics used by senior management and the board of directors to review the consolidated financial performance of our business. We define Adjusted EBITDA as EBITDA (as defined above) further adjusted to give effect to adjustments required in calculating covenant ratios and compliance as that term is defined in the indenture governing our senior unsecured notes. Adjusted EBITDA is a material component of these covenants.



| Three | Months | <b>Ended</b> | March |
|-------|--------|--------------|-------|
|       | 31     | L <b>,</b>   |       |

|                                                                     | 2016                       |    | 2015   |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----|--------|
|                                                                     | <br>(Dollars in thousands) |    |        |
| Net income                                                          | \$<br>36,262               | \$ | 43,269 |
| Loan termination fee <sup>(1)</sup>                                 | 1,509                      |    | _      |
| Gain on mark to market of interest rate derivative contracts (2)    | 77                         |    | 111    |
| Write-off of deferred financing fees <sup>(1)</sup>                 | 1,972                      |    | _      |
| Non-cash share based payment expense <sup>(3)</sup>                 | 1,643                      |    | 1,170  |
| Term Financing No. 1 hedge loss amortization charges <sup>(1)</sup> | _                          |    | 3,126  |
| Securitization No. 1 hedge loss amortization charges (1)            | 2,628                      |    | 2,781  |
| Adjusted net income                                                 | \$<br>44,091               | \$ | 50,457 |

- 1. Included in Interest, net.
- 2. Included in Other income (expense).
- 3. Included in Selling, general and administrative expenses.

Management believes that ANI, when viewed in conjunction with the Company's results under US GAAP and the above reconciliation, provides useful information about operating and periodover-period performance, and provides additional information that is useful for evaluating the underlying operating performance of our business without regard to periodic reporting elements related to interest rate derivative accounting, changes related to refinancing activity and non-cash share based payment expense.

#### Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Measures – Cash Earnings and Cash ROE

|      |           | Finance Lease | (Gain) Loss on |           | Distributions in excess (less than) |               | Average<br>Shareholders' | 12 Month Cash |
|------|-----------|---------------|----------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| _    | CFFO      | Collections   | Sale of Eqt.   | Deprec.   | <b>Equity Earnings</b>              | Cash Earnings | Equity                   | ROE           |
| 2011 | \$359,377 |               | \$39,092       | \$242,103 |                                     | \$156,366     | \$1,370,513              | 11.4%         |
| 2012 | \$427,277 | \$3,852       | \$5,747        | \$269,920 |                                     | \$166,956     | \$1,425,658              | 11.7%         |
| 2013 | \$424,037 | \$9,508       | \$37,220       | \$284,924 |                                     | \$185,841     | \$1,513,156              | 12.3%         |
| 2014 | \$458,786 | \$10,312      | \$23,146       | \$299,365 | \$667                               | \$193,546     | \$1,661,228              | 11.7%         |
| 2015 | \$526,285 | \$9,559       | \$58,017       | \$318,783 | (\$52)                              | \$275,026     | \$1,759,871              | 15.6%         |
| LTM  | \$514,621 | \$10,948      | \$64,597       | \$320,584 | (\$1,235)                           | \$268,347     | \$1,769,981              | 15.2%         |

Note: LTM Average Shareholders' Equity is the average of the most recent five quarters period end Shareholders' Equity. Management believes that the cash return on equity metric (Cash ROE) when viewed in conjunction with the Company's results under US GAAP and the above reconciliation, provide useful information about operating and period-over-period performance, and provide additional information that is useful for evaluating the underlying operating performance of our business without regard to periodic reporting impacts related to non-cash revenue and expense items and interest rate derivative accounting, while recognizing the depreciating nature of our assets.

Except for percentages, all figures are \$ in thousands.

## **Net Cash Interest Margin Calculation**

|                | Average NBV<br>of Flight<br>Equipment | Quarterly<br>Lease Rental<br>Revenue |                    | l<br>Cash Interest <sup>1</sup> |        | Annualized<br>Net Cash<br>Interest<br>Margin |  |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------|--|
| Q1:11          | \$ 4,041,967                          |                                      | 141,116            | \$                              | 41,278 | 9.9%                                         |  |
| Q1:11<br>Q2:11 | \$ 4,041,307                          |                                      | 143,356            | \$                              | 43,217 | 9.7%                                         |  |
| Q2:11<br>Q3:11 | \$ 4,222,512                          |                                      | L45,890            | \$                              | 42,066 | 9.8%                                         |  |
| Q3.11<br>Q4:11 | \$ 4,222,312                          |                                      | 143,890<br>149,848 | \$<br>\$                        | 43,041 | 9.8%                                         |  |
| Q4:11<br>Q1:12 | \$ 4,374,921                          |                                      | 149,848<br>152,242 | \$                              | 44,969 | 9.8%                                         |  |
|                |                                       |                                      | •                  |                                 | •      |                                              |  |
| Q2:12          |                                       |                                      | 153,624            | \$                              | 48,798 | 9.3%                                         |  |
| Q3:12          | \$ 4,602,185                          |                                      | 159,546            | \$                              | 41,373 | 10.3%                                        |  |
| Q4:12          | \$ 4,605,783                          |                                      | L58,090            | \$                              | 43,461 | 10.0%                                        |  |
| Q1:13          | \$ 4,619,204                          |                                      | 156,590            | \$                              | 48,591 | 9.4%                                         |  |
| Q2:13          | \$ 4,711,790                          | \$ 1                                 | 157,918            | \$                              | 47,869 | 9.3%                                         |  |
| Q3:13          | \$ 4,717,877                          | \$ 1                                 | 161,148            | \$                              | 47,682 | 9.6%                                         |  |
| Q4:13          | \$ 4,972,040                          | \$ 1                                 | L69,274            | \$                              | 49,080 | 9.7%                                         |  |
| Q1:14          | \$ 5,168,851                          | \$ 1                                 | L74,335            | \$                              | 51,685 | 9.5%                                         |  |
| Q2:14          | \$ 5,582,359                          | \$ 1                                 | 183,231            | \$                              | 48,172 | 9.7%                                         |  |
| Q3:14          | \$ 5,412,299                          | \$ 1                                 | 178,886            | \$                              | 44,820 | 9.9%                                         |  |
| Q4:14          | \$ 5,373,733                          | \$ 1                                 | 178,202            | \$                              | 44,459 | 10.0%                                        |  |
| Q1:15          | \$ 5,637,513                          | \$ 1                                 | 177,146            | \$                              | 50,235 | 9.0%                                         |  |
| Q2:15          | \$ 5,850,516                          | \$ 1                                 | 184,839            | \$                              | 51,413 | 9.1%                                         |  |
| Q3:15          | \$ 5,926,459                          | \$ 1                                 | 188,037            | \$                              | 51,428 | 9.2%                                         |  |
| Q4:15          | \$ 5,835,547                          | \$ 1                                 | 183,394            | \$                              | 51,250 | 9.1%                                         |  |
| Q1:16          | \$ 5,781,858                          | \$ 1                                 | 179,570            | \$                              | 51,815 | 8.8%                                         |  |
|                |                                       |                                      |                    |                                 |        |                                              |  |

Excludes loan termination payments of \$3.2 million and \$3.0 million in the second quarter of 2011 and 2013 respectively and \$1.5 million in the first quarter of 2016.
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**Three Months Ended** 

## **Supplemental Financial Information**

|                                                                                | March 31, 2016 |                      |  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|--|
| Weighted-average shares:                                                       | Shares         | Percent <sup>2</sup> |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Basic                                              | 78,543         | 99.28%               |  |
| Unvested restricted common shares                                              | 572            | 0.72%                |  |
| Total weighted-average shares outstanding                                      | 79,116         | 100.00%              |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Basic                                              | 79,116         | 100.00%              |  |
| Effect of dilutive shares <sup>1</sup>                                         |                |                      |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Diluted                                            | 79,116         | 100.00%              |  |
| Net income allocation                                                          |                |                      |  |
| Net income                                                                     | \$ 36,262      | 100.00%              |  |
| Distributed and undistributed earnings allocated to unvested restricted shares | (262)          | -0.72%               |  |
| Earnings available to common shares                                            | \$ 36,000      | 99.28%               |  |
| Adjusted net income allocation                                                 |                |                      |  |
| Adjusted net income                                                            | \$ 44,091      | 100.00%              |  |
| Amounts allocated to unvested restricted shares                                | (319)          | -0.72%               |  |
| Amounts allocated to common shares                                             | \$43,772_      | 99.28%               |  |

<sup>1.</sup> The Company had no dilutive common share equivalents for the period presented.

<sup>2.</sup> Percentages rounded to two decimal places.

**Three Months Ended** 

## **Supplemental Financial Information**

|                                                                                | March 3   | March 31, 2015       |  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|--|
| Weighted-average shares:                                                       | Shares    | Percent <sup>2</sup> |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Basic                                              | 80,564    | 99.36%               |  |
| Unvested restricted common shares                                              | 515       | 0.64%                |  |
| Total weighted-average shares outstanding                                      | 81,080    | 100.00%              |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Basic                                              | 80,564    | 100.00%              |  |
| Effect of dilutive shares <sup>1</sup>                                         |           |                      |  |
| Common shares outstanding – Diluted                                            | 80,564    | 100.00%              |  |
| Net income allocation                                                          |           |                      |  |
| Net income                                                                     | \$ 43,269 | 100.00%              |  |
| Distributed and undistributed earnings allocated to unvested restricted shares | (275)     | -0.64%               |  |
| Earnings available to common shares                                            | \$ 42,994 | 99.36%               |  |
| Adjusted net income allocation                                                 |           |                      |  |
| Adjusted net income                                                            | \$ 50,457 | 100.00%              |  |
| Amounts allocated to unvested restricted shares                                | (321)     | -0.64%               |  |
| Amounts allocated to common shares                                             | \$ 50,136 | 99.36%               |  |

<sup>1.</sup> The Company had no dilutive common share equivalents for the period presented.

<sup>2.</sup> Percentages rounded to two decimal places.

#### Limitations of EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin

An investor or potential investor may find EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin important measures in evaluating our performance, results of operations and financial position. We use these non-US GAAP measures to supplement our US GAAP results in order to provide a more complete understanding of the factors and trends affecting our business.

EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin have limitations as analytical tools and should not be viewed in isolation or as substitutes for US GAAP measures of earnings. Material limitations in making the adjustments to our earnings to calculate EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin and using these non-US GAAP measures as compared to US GAAP net income, income from continuing operations and cash flows provided by or used in operations, include:

- depreciation and amortization, though not directly affecting our current cash position, represent the wear and tear and/or reduction in value of our aircraft, which affects the aircraft's availability for use and may be indicative of future needs for capital expenditures;
- the cash portion of income tax (benefit) provision generally represents charges (gains), which may significantly affect our financial results;
- elements of our interest rate derivative accounting may be used to evaluate the effectiveness of our hedging policy;
- hedge loss amortization charges related to Term Financing No. 1 and Securitization No. 1; and
- adjustments required in calculating covenant ratios and compliance as that term is defined in the indenture governing our senior unsecured notes.

EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin are not alternatives to net income, income from operations or cash flows provided by or used in operations as calculated and presented in accordance with US GAAP. You should not rely on these non-US GAAP measures as a substitute for any such US GAAP financial measure. We strongly urge you to review the reconciliations to US GAAP net income, along with our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in our Annual Report. We also strongly urge you to not rely on any single financial measure to evaluate our business. In addition, because EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin are not measures of financial performance under US GAAP and are susceptible to varying calculations, EBITDA, Adjusted EBITDA, ANI, Cash Earnings, Cash ROE and Net Cash Interest Margin as presented here, may differ from and may not be comparable to, similarly titled measures used by other companies.