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ASUR Confirms its Request for Authorization from the Federal Government to Build and Operate an Airport in the Mayan Riviera

Mexico City, September 21, 2006, Grupo Aeroportuario del Sureste, S.A. de C.V. (NYSE: ASR; BMV: ASUR) (ASUR) announced today that it has sought authorization from the Federal Government, through the Secretary of Communications and Transportation (SCT), to build and operate an airport in the Mayan Riviera.

To date, ASUR has not received a reply from the SCT and there is no assurance that the SCT will respond favorably to this request.

About ASUR:

Grupo Aeroportuario del Sureste, S.A. de C.V. (ASUR) is a Mexican airport operator with concessions to operate, maintain and develop the airports of Cancun, Merida, Cozumel, Villahermosa, Oaxaca, Veracruz, Huatulco, Tapachula and Minatitlan in the southeast of Mexico. The Company is listed both on the Mexican Bolsa, where it trades under the symbol ASUR, and on the NYSE in the U.S., where it trades under the symbol ASR. One ADS represents ten (10) series B shares.

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