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## Ethiopian to Link Buenos Aires with Africa – 6<sup>th</sup> Gateway to the Americas

Addis Ababa, November 8, 2017

Africa's largest airline group, Ethiopian Airlines, is pleased to announce that it has finalized preparations to start five weekly flights to Buenos Aires, Argentina, as of March 8, 2018.

Buenos Aires is the world's capital of Tango, home of centurion old buildings and a vibrant cultural scene. Argentina is one of the largest economies in Latin America and Buenos Aires is the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest city in South America with a population of over 13 million.

Flight	Days	Origin	Departure	Destination	Arrival	Fleet
ET 0506	Mon, Wed, Thu, Sat, Sun	Addis Ababa	09:30	São Paulo	17:10	787
		São Paulo	18:10	Buenos Aires	19:40	787
ET 0507	Mon, Wed, Thu, Sat, Sun	Buenos Aires	23:00	São Paulo	02:30	787
		São Paulo	03:30	Addis Ababa	20:30	787

### *Weekly Schedule*

Group CEO of Ethiopian Airlines, Mr. Tewolde GebreMariam, said, "We are glad to add Buenos Aires, our 6<sup>th</sup> gateway to the Americas, to our extensive global network. Our new flight to Buenos Aires will provide efficient connections to our network in Asia, the Middle East, and Africa, including Beijing, Shanghai, Seoul, Tokyo, Mumbai, Delhi, Dubai, Beirut, Nairobi, and Cairo.

We are all the more happy that the flights will be launched on 8 March, International Women's Day. To mark this important occasion and as part of our commitment of mainstreaming gender into our core business, the inaugural flight on 8 March will be an All Women Operated Flight.

Currently, Ethiopia is registering rapid economic growth with strong emphasis on industrialization with the construction of industrial zones and the development of tourism in light of the truly unique natural, cultural and historical wealth of the country. As the national carrier, we are fast expanding our global footprint, currently covering over 100 international destinations across five continents, to support the country's growth by facilitating its access to investors and tourists.

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Buenos Aires will become Ethiopian 6<sup>th</sup> destination in the Americas. Ethiopian has service to Washington, New York, Los Angeles, Toronto, and São Paulo.

## About Ethiopian

Ethiopian Airlines (Ethiopian) is the fastest growing Airline in Africa. In its seven decades of operation, Ethiopian has become one of the continent's leading carriers, unrivalled in efficiency and operational success.

Ethiopian commands the lion's share of the pan-African passenger and cargo network operating the youngest and most modern fleet to more than 90 international destinations across five continents. Ethiopian fleet includes ultra-modern and environmentally friendly aircraft such as Airbus A350, Boeing 787, Boeing 777-300ER, Boeing 777-200LR, Boeing 777-200 Freighter, Bombardier Q-400 double cabin with an average fleet age of five years. In fact, Ethiopian is the first airline in Africa to own and operate these aircraft.

Ethiopian is currently implementing a 15-year strategic plan called Vision 2025 that will see it become the leading aviation group in Africa with seven business centers: Ethiopian Domestic and Regional Airline; Ethiopian International Passenger Airline; Ethiopian Cargo; Ethiopian MRO; Ethiopian Aviation Academy; Ethiopian In-flight Catering Services; and Ethiopian Ground Service. Ethiopian is a multi-award winning airline registering an average growth of 25% in the past seven years.

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