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# Adam Chiamulon, Sherri Murray, Greg Norris, Kevin St. Denis, Nicole Wright, and Jimmy Wu Elected to ASA Board of Directors

Washington, DC - ASA welcomes **Greg Norris**, Business Development, Parker Hannifin Corporation - Parker Aerospace Customer Support Operations; **Kevin St. Denis**, Director CAS Manufacturing & Quality; Fleet & Material Services, Customer Support and EHS, Boeing Commercial Aviation Services; and **Nicole Wright**, Sales Manager, AJW Group as newly elected members of the ASA Board of Directors.

"It was the Board's intent to expand the number of Directors in an effort to better represent the growing membership and ensure that a broad spectrum of discussion was brought to the Director meetings", said Michele Dickstein, President of ASA. "It was the strongest showing of interest for an ASA Board of Director's election with 11 nominees, the membership has spoken we couldn't be more pleased with the results."

Additionally, there were three Directors re-elected to the Board: serving his second term is **Adam Chiamulon**, President and COO, Global Airtech; serving her third term is **Sheri Murray**, President, Air Parts & Supply Co. (APSCO); and serving his fourth term is **Jimmy Wu**, CEO, Infinity Air Group.

These Directors complement our existing Directors **Lee Kapel**, TSI Aviation, Inc; **Edith Stein**, Southwest Airlines; **Brent Webb**, AerSale, Inc.; and **Mitch Weinberg**, International Aircraft Associates. With this in mind, six Directors were elected. The Board of Directors now has 9 elected positions and 1 appointment; with an option for 3 additional appointments.

# **About the Aviation Suppliers Association**

The Aviation Suppliers Association (ASA), based in Washington, D.C., is a not-for-profit association, representing more than 430 global member companies that are positively shaping the aviation industry. Collectively, they lead critical logistics programs, purchasing efforts, and distribution of aircraft parts worldwide. ASA's Board of Directors and Corporate Officers focus the organization's energies on regulatory and legal matters such as safety, international compliance, business promotion and ethical business practices that impact the aviation parts supply industry. ASA also recognizes outstanding industry leadership and commitment with its annual Edward J. Glueckler Lifetime Achievement award. Member companies include: distributors, suppliers, surplus sales organizations, repair stations, manufacturers, airlines, operators, and other companies that provide services to the aviation parts supply industry.

ASA has been recognized by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) for Database Management and the Industry Voluntary Accreditation program. The Aviation Suppliers Association has been featured in Aviation Week, Aviation Maintenance, Aircraft Technology Engineering & Maintenance, Overhaul & Maintenance, SpeedNews, and USA Today, along with other business journals and leading industry



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publications. ASA is an annual participant in the Aviation Week MRO conventions, Airline Purchasing & Maintenance Expo London Conference and Air Carriers Purchasing Conference.

Government Affairs Advocacy: on a global scale, ASA interacts with government agencies across 6 Continents including the FAA, US Department of Commerce, Small Business Administration, EPA, EASA, Transport Canada, European CAA, CAAC, Australian CAAC, and many others.

Accreditation Program to ASA-100: ASA is a leader in distributor assessments and is an accreditation organization under FAA AC 00-56. As a result of the Association's accreditation capabilities, over 260 facilities have received global accreditation to ASA-100 since 1996.

Certification to ISO 9001: ASACB (trade name for ASA) is an ISO registrar and is accredited by ANAB to conduct ISO 900, AS9100 and AS9120 assessments.

Memorandum of Understanding: ASA has a Memorandum of Understanding with Aircraft Fleet Recycling Association (AFRA) for collaboration and support. ASA has a Memorandum of Understanding with both the International Aerospace Quality Association (IAQG) and the America's Aerospace Quality Group (AAQG) to support each other's efforts, common projects and initiative in the area of improvement of the aerospace supply chain.

To learn more about ASA, ASA-100 accreditation, and ISO 9001: 2008 certification, as well as the annual conference scheduled for June 24 – 26, 2012 in Seattle Washington, please visit their web site at: <a href="https://www.aviationsuppliers.org">www.aviationsuppliers.org</a>

# **About Adam Chiamulon**

Adam Chiamulon is the President and Chief Operating Officer of Global Airtech. He joined the company in 2004 after graduating from UCLA with degrees in History and Policy Studies. Adam works closely with Global Airtech's Quality Manager, Reynaldo Jose, to perpetuate the company's commitment to continual improvement of its products, services, and quality management system. In addition to his proficiency of ASA and ISO quality standards, Adam is also experienced in the U.S. Department of Commerce's Export Administration Regulations and the U.S. Department of State's International Traffic in Arms Regulations. In recent years, Adam has also worked with the Export-Import Bank of the United States to further President Obama's initiative to increase exports.

#### **About Sheri Murray**

Sheri Murray is President and Chief Executive Officer of Air Parts & Supply Co. (APSCO), a company specializing in the distribution of aircraft ignition and fuel control spare parts in the U.S. and abroad. Founded in 1959 by her father, Charles Rosskam, Sheri took over the operational direction and day-to-day management of the company in 2001. Under her leadership, the company has more than doubled in size, sales revenues have quadrupled, and she has expanded the breadth and application of parts carried in inventory.

With more than thirty-five years of experience in the aviation industry, she has earned a reputation for superior product knowledge and creative problem solving. As a native Floridian, she attended college in the South Florida area while working at APSCO, in the shipping department. The invaluable insights she garnered by working her way up the ladder and spending considerable time in every department enabled her to build the company into the world-class parts supplier that it is today.



# **About Greg Norris**

Greg Norris has 15 years of commercial aftermarket experience with a mix of OEM/MRO organizations. He started in the industry at Liebherr Aerospace in customer service, progressed into sales, and ultimately ended up running sales and customer services for the Americas during a 7 year tenure. Greg spent 4 years at Air Canada Technical Services during its transition to Aveos selling nose-to-tail solutions including heavy, engine, and airframe component maintenance inclusive of inventory solutions. He is currently working for Parker in Business Development leading commercial aftermarket spares, JV integration, and other strategic projects. He lives with wife and 2 sons in the Phoenix area.

# About Kevin St. Denis

Kevin St. Denis is director of Fleet Services Manufacturing and Quality of Boeing Commercial Airplanes. He is responsible for Quality, Operations, Regulatory Compliance and Integration activities for these processes. He is responsible for the overall leadership of various modification sites and MRO's globally in the areas of operations, quality and material procurement for various Fleet Service offerings. In addition to his Boeing career, Kevin leads the Lean & Productivity Process Council, Safety Council and MRO Process Action Team for Fleet Services. Since joining Boeing (formally McDonnell Douglas) in 1979, Kevin has held a series of positions in Production, Supplier Quality, Quality and Operations. Over the years, he has managed a diverse group of employees responsible for establishing and improving quality processes, quality assurance/control, QMS, Safety Management System (SMS), Mod sight Operations support, and managing Regulatory / Customer requirements and relationships, for numerous aircraft modification certification projects. He also led several Quality and cross-functional teams and has continued to expand on his experience in Project and Program Management. Kevin holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration and a Master in Business Administration. He lives in Seattle, WA and divides his time between Seattle, Southern California and remote locations around the world. His hobbies include biking, boating, and gardening.

# **About Nicole Wright**

Nicole joined AJW Group 5 years ago, coming from outside of the industry with many years' senior management and business development experience. Nicole was tasked with promoting the AJW Group to their trading partners, with specific focus on retention and growth of existing relationships and development of new business opportunities for both AJW Aviation and AJW Technique. Advocating and affecting internal changes within AJW reflected externally with strengthened relationships and a true appreciation of the value of their trading partners to the business. This desire to strengthen supplier interaction, belief in the power of working together for the greater good and global visibility will make her a valuable addition to the board.

# **About Jimmy Wu**

For the past 26 years, **Jimmy Wu** has focused his education and cultivated his experience in the world of Commercial Aviation spares purchasing and sales. Mr. Wu holds a Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of California, Berkeley and since 2000, Mr. Wu has been the President and CEO of Infinity Air, Inc. located in Tarzana, California and Miami, Florida. In 2003 Mr. Wu acquired Allflight Corporation, anFAA, EASA, ANAC, CASE and CAAC repair station located in Seattle, Washington. Mr. Wu oversees over 8085 employees and manages over 135,000 sq. ft. of facility space in three locations.









Prior to Infinity Air, Mr. Wu was the North American Purchasing Manager and the Pacific Rim/Southeast Asia Sales Manager for Ryder Aviation Sales. Mr. Wu has been a Director on the ASA Board of Directors, where he plays a key role at leveraging his strong relations within the Pacific Rim/Southeast Asia in an effort to ensure that distributor standards are consistent, has strongly committed to airline safety and has promoted safety and distributor accreditation throughout the world.





