



Rob Taylor of Carlyle Aviation Partners appointed to ASA Board of Directors

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Washington, DC – The ASA Board of Directors has announced that Rob Taylor, Chief Technical Officer for Carlyle Aviation Partners, has been appointed to the ASA Board of Directors. Rob has 30 years of experience in the aerospace industry in manufacturing, maintenance, airline/cargo operations and asset management.

“ASA is fortunate to have Rob Taylor join the Board of Directors. His technical expertise particularly from a lessor point of view will assist ASA in insuring that our efforts work for the betterment of the membership and their business partners. With the additional focus on asset retirement and disassembly, Rob’s insights and leadership will enable ASA to represent the broad spectrum of companies involved in the aftermarket,” commented Michele Dickstein, President of ASA.

Mr. Taylor said “I am delighted to join the Board of ASA and to have the opportunity to work with its members from across the aircraft parts industry. This is a critical moment for the aviation industry that will require members from across the industry to work together to address challenges and drive toward the next opportunities. I hope that my experience working in the mid-life aircraft leasing industry as well as the airline industry can provide perspective as ASA works to achieve its goals.”

Aviation Suppliers Association

25 years in the industry, the Aviation Suppliers Association (ASA), based in Washington, D.C., is a not-for-profit association, representing more than 650 global member companies that are positively shaping the aviation industry. Collectively, they lead critical logistics programs, purchasing efforts, and distribution of aircraft parts worldwide. 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. In addition, 400 companies have received global accreditation to the ASA-100 Quality System Standard and FAA Advisory Circular 00-56 since 1996. The Aviation Suppliers Association Certification Body (ASACB) is an ANAB accredited certification body for ISO 9001:2015, AS9100, AS9110 and AS9120 audits.

Carlyle Aviation Partner

Carlyle Aviation Partners is a multi-strategy aviation investment manager that seeks to capitalize on its extensive technical knowledge, in-depth industry expertise and long-standing presence in the aviation sector. The firm has total assets under management of \$5.9 billion¹, with over 90+ employees and offices in the US, Ireland and Singapore. Carlyle Aviation Partners has 251 aircraft owned, managed or committed to purchase with 95 airlines lessees in 52 countries.

1. All figures are as of June 30, 2020. Assets under management include all assets under management (which includes, in addition to invested capital, indebtedness and uncalled capital commitments) of products and other investment vehicles serviced by Carlyle Aviation Partners and/or its affiliates. Website: www.carlyle.aero



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