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# 中國東方航空股份有限公司

## CHINA EASTERN AIRLINES CORPORATION LIMITED

(A joint stock limited company incorporated in the People's Republic of China with limited liability)

(Stock code: 00670)

### INSIDE INFORMATION

## OVERSEAS REGULATORY ANNOUNCEMENT

## ANNOUNCEMENT ON OPERATING DATA FOR JANUARY 2018

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### I. OPERATING DATA

	Estimated amount completed in January 2018	Actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase	Total estimated amount completed in January 2018	Total actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase
<b>Passenger Transportation Data</b>						
<b>ASK (available seat)</b>						
- kilometres (millions)	19,466.95	18,704.38	4.1%	19,466.95	18,704.38	4.1%
- Domestic routes	12,040.45	11,521.14	4.5%	12,040.45	11,521.14	4.5%
- International routes	6,933.71	6,681.69	3.8%	6,933.71	6,681.69	3.8%
- Regional routes	492.79	501.55	-1.7%	492.79	501.55	-1.7%
<b>RPK (revenue passenger)</b>						
- kilometres (millions)	15,350.33	15,290.44	0.4%	15,350.33	15,290.44	0.4%
- Domestic routes	9,628.59	9,379.17	2.7%	9,628.59	9,379.17	2.7%
- International routes	5,336.05	5,516.74	-3.3%	5,336.05	5,516.74	-3.3%
- Regional routes	385.70	394.54	-2.2%	385.70	394.54	-2.2%
<b>Number of passengers</b>						
- carried (thousands)	9,106.86	8,930.44	2.0%	9,106.86	8,930.44	2.0%
- Domestic routes	7,559.09	7,293.66	3.6%	7,559.09	7,293.66	3.6%
- International routes	1,262.85	1,340.76	-5.8%	1,262.85	1,340.76	-5.8%
- Regional routes	284.92	296.02	-3.7%	284.92	296.02	-3.7%

	Estimated amount completed in January 2018	Actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase	Total estimated amount completed in January 2018	Total actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase
<b>Passenger load factor (%)</b>	78.85	81.75	-2.89 pts	78.85	81.75	-2.89 pts
– Domestic routes	79.97	81.41	-1.44 pts	79.97	81.41	-1.44 pts
– International routes	76.96	82.56	-5.61 pts	76.96	82.56	-5.61 pts
– Regional routes	78.27	78.66	-0.40 pts	78.27	78.66	-0.40 pts
<b>Freight Transportation Data</b>						
<b>AFTK (available freight tonne</b>						
– kilometres) (millions)	640.92	578.53	10.8%	640.92	578.53	10.8%
– Domestic routes	223.00	196.86	13.3%	223.00	196.86	13.3%
– International routes	403.33	365.79	10.3%	403.33	365.79	10.3%
– Regional routes	14.59	15.88	-8.1%	14.59	15.88	-8.1%
<b>RFTK (revenue freight tonne</b>						
– kilometres) (millions)	212.11	193.88	9.4%	212.11	193.88	9.4%
– Domestic routes	81.88	81.34	0.7%	81.88	81.34	0.7%
– International routes	127.25	109.94	15.7%	127.25	109.94	15.7%
– Regional routes	2.97	2.60	14.6%	2.97	2.60	14.6%
<b>Weight of freight carried</b>						
(million kg)	80.54	77.78	3.5%	80.54	77.78	3.5%
– Domestic routes	60.15	59.60	0.9%	60.15	59.60	0.9%
– International routes	17.86	15.92	12.1%	17.86	15.92	12.1%
– Regional routes	2.53	2.25	12.4%	2.53	2.25	12.4%
<b>Freight load factor (%)</b>						
	33.10	33.51	-0.42 pts	33.10	33.51	-0.42 pts
– Domestic routes	36.72	41.32	-4.60 pts	36.72	41.32	-4.60 pts
– International routes	31.55	30.06	1.50 pts	31.55	30.06	1.50 pts
– Regional routes	20.39	16.35	4.04 pts	20.39	16.35	4.04 pts
<b>Consolidated Data</b>						
<b>ATK (available tonne</b>						
– kilometres) (millions)	2,392.94	2,261.92	5.8%	2392.94	2,261.92	5.8%
– Domestic routes	1,306.64	1,233.76	5.9%	1,306.64	1,233.76	5.9%
– International routes	1,027.36	967.14	6.2%	1,027.36	967.14	6.2%
– Regional routes	58.94	61.02	-3.4%	58.94	61.02	-3.4%
<b>RTK (revenue tonne</b>						
– kilometres) (millions)	1,567.68	1,536.83	2.0%	1,567.68	1,536.83	2.0%
– Domestic routes	932.97	905.72	3.0%	932.97	905.72	3.0%
– International routes	597.75	593.96	0.6%	597.75	593.96	0.6%
– Regional routes	36.96	37.15	-0.5%	36.96	37.15	-0.5%

	Estimated amount completed in January 2018	Actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase	Total estimated amount completed in January 2018	Total actual amount completed in January 2017	Year-on-year increase
<b>Overall load factor (%)</b>	65.51	67.94	-2.43 pts	65.51	67.94	-2.43 pts
- Domestic routes	71.40	73.41	-2.01 pts	71.40	73.41	-2.01 pts
- International routes	58.18	61.41	-3.23 pts	58.18	61.41	-3.23 pts
- Regional routes	62.71	60.88	1.83 pts	62.71	60.88	1.83 pts

*Note:* Please refer to the latest annual report or interim report of the Company for the definitions of indicators.

## II. FLEET STRUCTURE

In January 2018, China Eastern Airlines Corporation Limited (the “**Company**”) introduced one aircraft (one A330-300 aircraft), and retired one aircraft (one B737-700 aircraft).

As at the end of January 2018, details of the fleet structure of aircraft of the Company are as follows:

No.	Model	Self-owned	Under finance lease	Under operating lease	Sub-total
	<b>Wide-body passenger aircraft</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>83</b>
1	B777-300ER	9	11	0	20
2	B767	4	0	0	4
3	A330-200	15	15	3	33
4	A330-300	2	17	7	26
	<b>Narrow-body passenger aircraft</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>544</b>
5	B737-700	42	13	0	55
6	B737-800	46	62	84	192
7	A319	13	20	2	35
8	A320	79	52	48	179
9	A321	38	39	0	77
10	B737-8MAX	0	6	0	6
	<b>Total</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>627</b>

*Note:* The ten business aircraft held under trust of the Company were not included in the fleet.

### III. BRIEF EXPLANATION ON OPERATING DATA

In relation to passenger traffic, passenger transportation capacity (measured by available seat-kilometres) of the Company in January 2018 increased by 4.1% year-on-year, passenger traffic volume (measured by revenue passenger-kilometres) increased by 0.4% year-on-year, and passenger load factor decreased by 2.89 percentage points to 78.85% year-on-year.

In relation to freight traffic, freight transportation capacity (measured by available freight tonne-kilometres) of the Company in January 2018 increased by 10.8% year-on-year. Freight traffic volume (measured by revenue freight tonne-kilometres) increased by 9.4% year-on-year, while freight load factor decreased by 0.42 percentage points to 33.1% year-on-year.

In January 2018, the Company introduced domestic routes such as Chengdu-Teng Chong, Aletai-Xian and Wenzhou-Yantai-Qiqihar, and international routes such as Urumqi-Hefei-Krabi.

### IV. RISK ALERT

**The board of directors of the Company hereby reminds investors that the operating data set forth above was compiled in accordance with the Company's internal information which has not been audited and may be subject to adjustment. The operating data set forth above may differ from the data disclosed in any regular report for the relevant period. The Company reserves its rights to adjust the operating data based on audit findings and the actual situation. The monthly operating data disclosed by the Company only serves as preliminary and periodical data for investors' reference. Investors are hereby reminded of the investment risks which may result from inappropriate reliance upon or utilization of the information above.**

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By order of the Board

**CHINA EASTERN AIRLINES CORPORATION LIMITED**

**Wang Jian**

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13 February 2018

*As at the date of this announcement, the directors of the Company include Liu Shaoyong (Chairman), Ma Xulun (Vice Chairman, President), Li Yangmin (Director, Vice President), Gu Jiadan (Director), Tang Bing (Director, Vice President), Tian Liuwen (Director, Vice President), Yuan Jun (Employee Representative Director), Li Ruoshan (Independent non-executive Director), Ma Weihua (Independent non-executive Director), Shao Ruiqing (Independent non-executive Director) and Cai Hongping (Independent non-executive Director).*