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DAVE KROGMAN APPOINTED NEW GENERAL MANAGER AT WEST STAR AVIATION – GJT

Grand Junction, CO, September 6, 2008 – West Star Aviation, Inc. is pleased to announce that it has named Dave Krogman General Manager of its Grand Junction, CO (GJT) facility. Krogman will replace Rick Brainard, who vacated the position to become West Star’s new vice president of sales. Effective August 22nd, 2008 Krogman will oversee all day-to-day operational activities at the full-service aircraft maintenance facility and FBO.

Krogman has been director of hangar operations at West Star Aviation, Inc. - GJT since July 2006. He served as the facility’s Citation and Hawker program manager since joining the company in 1996. Prior to his move to Grand Junction, Krogman held positions as supervisor, inspector, and lead aircraft service technician at another business jet maintenance and repair facility.

“I have worked with Dave for over three years,” said Rick Brainard, the company’s vice president of sales. “His technical expertise and leadership abilities were apparent from the beginning. Since his appointment to the director of hangar operations position, he has also demonstrated tremendous organizational and operational management skills. I attribute much of the success of West Star’s Grand Junction facility to Dave’s adept and efficient management of our large and continually expanding hangar operations. I am pleased to hand over my former general manger duties to him and am confident that he will play an integral role in West Star’s future growth and success.”

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