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**West Star Aviation Announces Renewal of Mexico's Dirección General de Aeronáutica Civil
Certificate Through 2018**

East Alton, IL, July 20, 2016 - West Star Aviation is pleased to announce that Mexico's Dirección General de Aeronáutica Civil has renewed East Alton's (ALN) certificate through 2018. The certificate allows West Star to offer full service to Mexican registered aircraft (XA, XB, and XC).

West Star first received their certification from Mexico's DGAC in 2014. This renewal is exclusive to their ALN facility, however their Grand Junction, and Chattanooga locations have also obtained DGAC approval. This is West Star's first renewal of this certificate and is valid through April 2018.

"West Star is proud to have Mexico's DGAC renewal and to continue to service customers with Mexican registered aircraft," said Eric Kujawa, General Manager (ALN). "We continue to heighten our list of services and look forward to certification renewals for our other locations in the future," he continued.

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Voted #1 Preferred MRO in the 2014, 2015 and 2016 *Professional Pilot* magazine annual "Preferences Regarding Aviation Services and Equipment" (PRASE) Survey for three consecutive years, West Star Aviation specializes in the repair and maintenance of airframes, windows, and engines, as well as major modifications, avionics installation and repair, interior refurbishment, surplus avionics sales, accessory services, paint and parts.

In addition to its facilities in East Alton, IL; Grand Junction, CO; and Chattanooga, TN, West Star Aviation runs maintenance operations at Aspen-Pitkin County Airport in Aspen, CO; Chicago Executive Airport in Chicago, IL and Centennial Airport in Denver, CO. The company also provides complete FBO services for transient aircraft at its newly remodeled East Alton and Grand Junction facilities. West Star Aviation is an industry leader in technical experience and expertise while providing world-class customer services in all the organization's divisions. For more information visit www.weststaraviation.com or call 800-922-2421.

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