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FRENCH BEE AND SOUTHWEST AIRLINES LAUNCH GLOBAL INTERLINE PARTNERSHIP

New partnership expands single-ticket connectivity between the French bee and Southwest networks and destinations across the U.S., Europe and beyond

PARIS - November 16, 2026 - French bee and Southwest Airlines Co. (NYSE: LUV) have launched an interline partnership offering travelers single-ticket journeys between the Southwest® network and French bee's growing portfolio of long-haul destinations. Tickets featuring travel on both carriers are now available for booking through French bee's website, travel agents, and online travel platforms.

Operating a modern all-Airbus A350 fleet from its primary hub at Paris-Orly Airport, French bee serves destinations in France, North America, the Indian Ocean, and the South Pacific. Through shared gateway airports in Los Angeles (LAX), Miami (MIA), and San Francisco (SFO), travelers can connect between French bee flights and the Southwest Airlines network spanning the United States, including Hawaii.

By bridging both networks, French bee unlocks access to iconic global destinations, including Paris, Réunion Island, and French Polynesia, as well as upcoming routes to the Maldives and Sri Lanka launching in December 2026, while Southwest's robust network provides connectivity to popular U.S. destinations such as Las Vegas, Chicago, Dallas, Denver, Nashville, Austin, San Diego, Phoenix, and Honolulu.

"Our partnership with Southwest marks an important step in expanding our international reach, allowing us to better serve our current customers while bringing French bee's signature high-value travel experience to passengers in new markets across the Americas," said **Laurent Perrier, Managing Director of Groupe Dubreuil Aéro Services**, which operates French bee**.** "In addition to our nonstop international routes from our key U.S. gateways, passengers can now seamlessly connect to more than 30 additional destinations on a single ticket, making travel to world-class destinations more accessible. We look forward to welcoming travelers from these newly connected destinations and extending the French hospitality we're known for on board."

"We're focused on giving our Customers more, and French bee shares our philosophy of pairing value with a welcoming travel experience," said **Justin Jones, Southwest Airlines Executive Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer.** "This partnership opens new possibilities for travelers to connect across oceans on a single ticket and introduces more international Customers to our unmatched network and world-famous Hospitality."

French bee joins a portfolio of overseas airline partners for Southwest that connects travelers to destinations across Asia, Europe, the Middle East, Africa, and the South Pacific.

For more information, visit www.frenchbee.com.

French bee images are available for download HERE. (Photo Credit: French bee)

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About French bee
Celebrating its 10th anniversary this year, French bee is France's first airline to pioneer an affordable long-haul travel model. A member of the Dubreuil Group, French bee currently serves seven destinations from its Paris-Orly hub: Réunion Island, Tahiti, New York (Newark), San Francisco, Los Angeles, Miami, and Montreal. From Dec. 19, 2026, the airline will further expand its network with the launch of two new seasonal nonstop services to Malé, Maldives, and Colombo, Sri Lanka. French bee operates a 100% Airbus A350 fleet, one of the world's most modern and fuel-efficient aircraft. The airline offers passengers the flexibility to tailor their journey by selecting the services that best suit their travel preferences and budget, while maintaining a high standard of comfort throughout the travel experience. French bee's commitment to quality and service has earned industry recognition, including a Gold Award in the Overall International Carrier category at the 2026 Travel Weekly Magellan Awards and the Best Leisure Airline in France distinction at the 2026 Skytrax World Airline Awards. For more information, visit www.frenchbee.com.

About Dubreuil Group
The Dubreuil Group operates in seven business segments, employs 7,000 people and generated consolidated revenue of €3.3 billion in 2025. Over this period, revenue was distributed across the Group's business segments as follows: Automotive (35% of revenue), Construction Equipment (10%), Agricultural Machinery (10%), Energy (7.5%), Heavy-Duty Trucks (1.3%), Hospitality (0.2%), and Air Transport (36%). For more information, visit www.groupedubreuil.com.

About Southwest Airlines Co.
Southwest Airlines Co. operates one of the world's most admired and awarded airlines, offering its one-of-a-kind value and Hospitality at 120 airports across 12 countries. Southwest took flight in 1971 to democratize the sky through friendly, reliable, and low-cost air travel and now carries more air travelers flying nonstop within the United States than any other airline. By empowering its more than 73,000 People to deliver unparalleled Hospitality, the maverick airline cherishes a passionate loyalty among more than 134 million Customers carried in 2025. Southwest leverages a unique legacy and mission to serve communities around the world, including harnessing the power of its People and Purpose to put communities at the Heart of its success. Learn more by visiting Southwest.com/citizenship.

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