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**GOAL selects AerData GEARS software**



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Amsterdam, The Netherlands; 7th March 2017 – AerData, a Boeing Company, announced today an agreement with GOAL German Operating Aircraft Leasing GmbH & Co. KG for AerData’s GEARS software. AerData’s software and services improve efficiencies and enhance competitiveness for customers, including some of the world’s largest airlines, lessors and MROs.

GEARS (Global Electronic Asset Review System) is a digital tool designed to standardize the collection of data such as shop visits, utilization data and LLP records (in any format) and linking this data to an answer for quick and easy validation during routine audits and inspections. With GEARS, GOAL will ensure quality, consistency and efficiency in any asset review or inspection, which will save both time and costs.

Commenting on the announcement, Christoph Peppel, Technical Director, GOAL said, “GEARS will standardize our review processes and will save significant time to complete our aircraft audits. Since GOAL’s fleet of aircraft is continuously growing, with GEARS we will ensure to sustain our inspection and quality standard at high level.”

Matthew Bull, CEO, AerData said, “GEARS was developed to address the problem of how to gather data in a standardized format for routine audits and inspections. Technical Inspectors at GOAL will now be able to leverage this software to drive efficiencies in the data collection and management of their assets.”

## **About AerData**

AerData, a Boeing Company, provides lease management, records management, engine fleet planning and audit and inspection software as well as technical and back office services for aircraft and engine operators, lessors and MROs. With a strong customer focus, AerData delivers a reliable and secure service to its clients using latest technologies and state of the art infrastructure.

AerData is part of the Digital Aviation business unit within Boeing Support and Services. Boeing offers the industry's largest portfolio of support and services solutions, providing customers a competitive advantage by solving real operational problems, enabling better decisions, maximizing efficiency and improving environmental performance – intelligent information solutions across the entire aviation ecosystem.

## **About GOAL**

GOAL is a joint venture of KGAL GmbH & Co. KG, one of Germany's top investment companies and a high-ranking player in the world of structured asset finance and investment participation, and Deutsche Lufthansa AG, one of the world's premier carriers. GOAL currently owns and manages more than 50 aircraft. It has a broad experience in its core business of operating leasing, technical asset management and aircraft remarketing and has proven its professional know-how since its foundation in 1998. For more information, see its website at <http://www.goal-leasing.com>

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