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American Airlines Flight Attendants Unveil Report to Wall Street Regarding Misguided Executive Compensation

Euless, TX (April 5, 2007) - Leaders of the union representing more than 17,000 American Airlines Flight Attendants today presented Wall Street analysts with a critical analysis on the air carrier's upcoming plan to provide corporate bonuses. The report entitled, Employee Sacrifices and Collaboration at American Airlines --- A Profit Enhancing Business Model In Jeopardy was prepared by the Association of Professional Flight Attendants ("APFA").

The "white paper" details how the Flight Attendants and other employees have provided over \$ 6 billion in concessions since 2003. These sacrifices returned American Airlines back to profitability. The analysis further details how American Airlines' management is set to give themselves about \$200 million in executive bonuses without sharing these gains with its 80,000 front line employees.

"The Flight Attendants at American saved their airline from the brink of bankruptcy in 2003. Now that our sacrifices have turned American around, it is outrageous that American Airlines' executives would take care of themselves first. Corporate compensation in America, and at American, is simply misguided," said Tommie L. Hutto-Blake, APFA President.

APFA is the nation's largest independent flight attendant union representing only American Airlines Flight Attendants.

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