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**BCI AIRCRAFT LEASING, INC. EXTENDS LEASE OF BOEING 737-232  
AIRCRAFT TO TAF LINHAS AEREAS**

CHICAGO, April 21, 2009 - BCI Aircraft Leasing, Inc. ("BCI") today announced it has extended the operating lease of one Boeing 737-232 passenger aircraft to TAF Linhas Aereas of Brazil.

"We have enjoyed a successful relationship with TAF Linhas Aereas for several years, and we are very pleased to extend this partnership," said Joe Cirillo, Vice President for BCI.

The Boeing 737-232 passenger aircraft bears manufacturer's serial number 23102 and is equipped with two Pratt and Whitney JT8D-15A engines. The company's original lease of this aircraft to TAF was initiated in 2006, and under the new agreement the lease has been extended until 2012.

TAF Linhas Aereas is an airline based in Fortaleza, Brazil, which operates regional passenger and cargo flight services.

BCI Aircraft Leasing, Inc was founded in 1997 and since then has become one of commercial aviation's leading privately-held operating leasing companies. BCI provides airlines with financial products and services to help them achieve their financial and fleet planning goals. BCI Aircraft Leasing's customer list includes leading airlines such as Air Canada, Air France, KLM Royal Dutch Airlines, Southwest Airlines, Swiss International Air Lines, US Airways, and many other prominent air carriers around the world. For more information, please visit [www.bciaircraft.com](http://www.bciaircraft.com)

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