

FEDERAL MINISTRY OF AVIATION

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AIR TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT

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Ref. No. FMA/ATMD/0186/S.5/X/658

Date: 8th September, 2023

The Director General/CEO, Nigeria Civil Aviation Authority, Nnamdi Azikiwe International Airport, Abuja.

RE: CONVEYANCE OF APPROVAL TO MESSRS UNITED NIGERIA AIRLINES COMPANY LIMITED TO OPERATE COMMERCIAL FLIGHTS IN AND OUT OF NETHERLANDS, ITALY, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (UAE), UNITED KINGDOM (UK), UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (USA) AND IRELAND

I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter Ref. NCAA/80R54/149/1/354 dated 25th August, 2023 on the above subject and inform you that the Honourable Minister has granted approval for the designation of Messrs United Nigeria Airlines Company Limited to operate international flight operations to the following Countries and identified Cities:

- i. Netherlands- Amsterdam;
- ii. Italy- Rome;
- iii. United Arab Emirates (UAE)- Dubai;
- iv. United Kingdom (UK)- London;
- v. United States of America (USA) Houston; and
- vi. Ireland- Dublin.
- 2. The designation of Messrs United Nigeria Airlines Company Limited is in line with the subsisting Bilateral Air Services Agreements (BASA) between the Government of the Federal Republic of Nigeria and the Governments of the six (6) mentioned Countries above.
- 3. Consequently, Messrs United Nigeria Airlines Company Limited has been advised to liaise with the Civil Aviation Authorities of the aformentioned Countries for documentation prior to commencement of scheduled flight operations. However, the Airline has equally been further advised to liaise with

the Nigeria Civil Aviation Authority (NCAA) with respect to fulfilling the conditions outlined in the Nigerian Civil Aviation Regulations (Nig.CARs (2023) Part $18.5.1.1^{A-C}$, if necessary.

- 4. Kindly note that the approval has been communicated to the Ministy of Foreign Affairs for its futher necessary action.
- 5. Please, accept Honourable Minister's warm regards.

H.T. Ejibunu

Director, Air Transport Management for: Honourable Minister

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