

## SAS Ground Services chosen by Emirates at London Heathrow

Emirates chose SAS Ground Services as its new provider of passenger services at London Heathrow. Emirates operates five daily flights between London Heathrow and Dubai.

The choice of SAS Ground Services was made after a comprehensive evaluation of several offers.

"Emirates is delighted to announce our partnership with SAS Ground Services at London Heathrow," says Vic Sheppard, Emirates Vice President UK and Ireland. "They won the bid based on the high quality of their product."

"We are delighted that Emirates have chosen SAS Ground Services as their partner at Heathrow," says Christer Svensson, Managing Director for SAS Ground Services UK. "SAS Ground Services are proud to count an airline of the status and ambition of Emirates amongst our customers."

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SGS International provides airline ground handling and other airport related services, either under personal management or as a consolidator. SGS International provides ground handling at approximately 120 airports worldwide, has a turnover of SEK 1,5 billion and about 1,000 employees. For more information visit <u>www.sasground.com</u>

Launched 1985, Emirates is the international airline of the United Arab Emirates, based in Dubai. Initially flying with two leased aircraft – a Boeing 737 and an Airbus 300 B4 – Emirates has evolved into a globally influential travel and tourism conglomerate.

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