

CEOs' comments on commencement of tentative operations at KIX T1

On September 14, 2018, tentative operations started in the south area of Terminal 1, Kansai International Airport (KIX). CEOs of Kansai Airports commented as follows:

Yoshiyuki Yamaya, Representative Director and CEO, Kansai Airports

"Terminal 1 partially reopened for the first time in 10 days after Typhoon Jebi hit KIX. Thanks to tremendous support from our partners, we have successfully started partial operations without major problems. I would like to express my appreciation to everyone involved in the recovery process

Train services are also expected to restart on September 21, thanks to intensive support from all parties concerned.

We will continue to make every effort to reopen the entire airport with full operations for our passengers and business partners, including airlines, as soon as possible."

Emmanuel Menanteau, Representative Director and Co-CEO, Kansai Airports

"Today, we offered total 97 flights: 40 international flights and 19 domestic flights at Terminal 1, and 16 international flights and 22 domestic flights at Terminal 2.

The flight numbers at Terminal 2, left relatively unscathed by the typhoon, have returned to almost pre-typhoon levels. At Terminal 1, approximately 50 percent of flights are scheduled to resume as of September 20.

Currently, we are putting every effort to restore full-scale operations of the whole airport including T1 North."

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