



GARUDA INDONESIA INCLUDED IN THE WORLDS TOP 10 AIRLINE “TRAVELER’S CHOICE” FROM TRIP ADVISOR

Cengkareng, April 12, 2017 - National airline Garuda Indonesia made it into the ranks of the world's top 10 airlines in 2017 based on the rating of Travelers Choice 2017 from TripAdvisor, the world's leading travel sites. In addition, Garuda Indonesia also won in the category of “Top 5 Travelers’ Major Airline in Asia Pasific” and “Best Airline - Indonesia”.

TripAdvisor has officially announced that Garuda Indonesia has succeeded included in the top 10 world’s best airlines in 2017, and also won several other awards based on the rating for 2016 which is obtained from the passengers around the world, where the assessment of the rating include the quality and quantity of services they have rendered from global airlines.

Vice President Corporate Communications of Garuda Indonesia, Benny S. Butarbutar said that this achievement is the result of hard work of all employees and the management of Garuda Indonesia, through the continuous efforts undertaken by the services to operational aspect.

“This achievement is also a challenge for us to maintain the best performance in delivering services to the passengers of Garuda Indonesia,” Benny added.

"We would like to thank all passengers for their support in the voting process conducted by TripAdvisor. Such support is very important for us, given all our effort and hard work in providing the best service has been recognized by the international community "said Benny.

2017 mark the first year of TripAdvisor “Traveler’s Choice Awards” publication. By the announcement of the airlines rating, TripAdvisor attempt to provide travelers in making the best travel options, based on the experience of TripAdvisor's traveler community itself. This prestigious award also represent and aim to communicates the highest praise from travelers around the world.

Beside Garuda Indonesia, a number of global airlines also entered the ranking of "TripAdvisor Traveler's Choice Awards" are Emirates, Singapore Airlines, Azul Airlines, Jet Blue, Air New Zealand, Korean Air, Japan Airlines, Thai Smile and Alaska Airlines.

In line with the continuously improvement in service aspect, Garuda Indonesia for three consecutive years was awarded "The World's Best Cabin Crew" in 2014, 2015 and 2016. In addition, Garuda Indonesia has also won the award for "5-star Airline" and "The Most Loved Airline" in 2016 from Skytrax, an independent airlines rating based in London.

Garuda Indonesia is now a member of SkyTeam, a global airline alliance consisting of 20 member airlines that offer a global network with more than 17,300 daily flights to 1062 destinations in 177 countries.

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