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IFTC Chooses to Use Keyvan Aviation’s Data

Yocova Partner, KEYVAN Aviation, a leading aeronautical and navigation database provider and the only one in Turkey, has signed a five year agreement with IFTC (International Flight Training Center) , a member of Gözen Holding. With this agreement, KEYVAN Aviation will provide the aeronautical and navigation database required for IFTC's flight simulators.

Keyvan Aviation continues to make a difference in Turkey and the international market with the most up-to-date and detailed aeronautical data, as well as 24/7 customer service and solutions tailored to customer needs.

IFTC is one of the most important full flight simulator training companies in global aviation industry with 5 simulators, an area of over 25.000 m2, and two simulator centers in Istanbul and Antalya. IFTC, which provides pilot training to local and international airlines for over 35,000 hours per year, will get the most recent Aeronautical and Navigation Database from Keyvan Aviation for its A320 family and B737 NG flight simulators.

IFTC will use Keyvan Aviation's EASA-approved data in its modern simulators in order to train and educate pilots at the highest level, taking the training standards in the sector to the next level.

The European Aviation Safety Agency - EASA has conducted several studies on simulator requirements that highlight the use of accurate data in aviation training. At this stage, using accurate and approved data in simulators is becoming increasingly important.

Keyvan Aviation comment

"We are committed to provide the world's most up-to-date and accurate Aeronautical and Navigation Database for pilot training. We continue to make a difference in the global market and as part of our sustainable growth strategy, we are proud to offer our world-class aeronautical and navigation database services for IFTC's world-class flight simulators,"

*Mehmet Keyvan, Chairman and CEO of Keyvan Aviation.*

IFTC comment

"IFTC is delighted to collaborate with Keyvan Havacılık, a prominent global provider and the sole provider of aeronautical and navigation databases in Turkey. We eagerly anticipate the outcomes of this partnership and the benefits it will bring to our valuable customers."

*Captain Cengiz Arbac, General Manager of IFTC*

Yocova comment

“We are delighted to learn of this exciting development for the aviation industry, as Yocova Partner, KEYVAN Aviation, has solidified its partnership with IFTC, a prominent member of Gözen Holding, through a comprehensive five-year agreement. As the sole provider of aeronautical and navigation databases in Turkey, KEYVAN Aviation is poised to elevate IFTC's flight simulator operations to new heights. This collaboration underscores KEYVAN Aviation's unwavering commitment to delivering the highest standards of service, complemented by EASA-approved data, ensuring unparalleled accuracy and reliability. As a valued member of the Yocova community and a trusted partner, Keyvan Aviation gains increased opportunities to share its reports within Yocova's extensive worldwide network."

About Yocova

Yocova (You Connect for Value) is an open, neutral digital platform and ecosystem for the aviation industry to collaborate, manage data, and access leading digital services from OEM partners and digital vendors.

It’s an end-to-end platform for innovation: digital infrastructure and services to facilitate the exchange of ideas, data, and apps in aviation.

The platform is structured around the pillars of Community, Data Rooms, Marketplace, and Enterprise engagement:

* **Community:** the global aviation community on one open and trusted platform – connect and collaborate with aviation peers in public forums and private working groups
* **Data collaboration:** a decentralised, secure, and voluntary data API exchange giving you full control of who accesses your data to support your digital initiatives
* **Marketplace:** a trusted ‘go to’ aviation marketplace for digital transformation – find, try, buy, and deploy leading digital aviation apps, data API’s solutions and services, or sell and manage your own through a global route-to-market
* **Enterprise engagement:** Yocova provides a single command and control platform through which to securely distribute, authenticate, and update all digital content across the customer community.

For OEM partners, Yocova provides a single command and control platform through which to securely distribute, authenticate, and update all digital content across the customer community. For OEM customers, a single entry-point for swift, efficient user access to all OEM digital content.

Yocova continues to pursue its growth strategy at pace with over 8,500 aviation professional members from across 470+ airlines and 1,100+ aviation enterprises extending across the aviation value chain, including but not limited to professionals and enterprises from airlines, business jet operators, digital/data vendors, through to airports, ANSPs and OEMs.

About Keyvan

KEYVAN Aviation is an EASA-approved LOA Type 1 DAT Provider Certified Aviation company, especially working to support customers with innovative ideas, products, and solutions related to Flight Operation and Data analytics.

A wide range of services for Aircraft Avionics Manufacturers, Airline’s Flight Operation Departments, Flight Planning Systems, Airports, Flight Simulators, developed by combining experience, Special Training and know-how, and digital innovation with the highest level of quality controls and checks. The Aeronautical and Navigation Database is the main core of the production line and the company mission is to deliver worldwide data coverage with reliable data content analyzed by the experienced team for Civil Aircraft, Military and Government operations, and Helicopter operations. KEYVAN Aviation’s expert team also offers training and consultancy support to the customers.

About IFTC

IFTC Istanbul was established in the Istanbul İhtisas Free Zone to offer complete flight simulator capacity for A320 and B737NG aircraft. The primary objective of IFTC is to address the increasing demand for aviation training in the region, providing training solutions with cutting-edge technology and ensuring the highest level of customer satisfaction. All simulators at IFTC are EASA certified. Meanwhile, IFTC Antalya, situated in the Antalya Free Zone, is a pioneering facility with its self-sustainable building module, solar panels, energy-efficient heating and cooling systems, LED lighting and natural landscaping. The B737NG flight simulator, known for its remarkably low energy consumption, is unparalleled in the market. Additionally, IFTC Antalya hosts the B737NG Cabin Emergency Evacuation Trainer and Real Fire Fighting Trainer, specifically designed to educate and train airline pilots and cabin crew members.

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