

PRESS RELEASE

Jim Thompson joins Certified Aviation Services as Operations Manager, Heavy Maintenance Division

Ontario, California May 2008 – Certified Aviation Services is proud to announce that Jim Thompson has joined the CAS team as Operations Manager for their heavy maintenance and modification group based in San Bernardino, California.

Mr. Thompson has nearly 40 years experience in the aviation industry and has held several positions in those years including Chief Inspector, General Manager, Director of Maintenance, President and Consultant. His extensive experience includes training on almost all heavy-aircraft in service.

Career Highlights

- Southern California Precision Aircraft, Inc. Chief Inspector
- Victory Aviation Initial Certification General Manager/ Chief Inspector
- JET Consulting Aviation Maintenance Consultant, President
- AVTEL Services, Inc. Director of Maintenance

"I am excited about joining the CAS team , they have positioned them selves strategically to deliver a diverse and quality product line through change and innovation to the aviation market."

Jim Thompson, Operations Manager

CAS is proud to be able to provide Jim's services in maintenance project management and operations focus to our customers.

With 18 years of experience, CAS is a world-class provider of line maintenance and aircraft modification services for commercial and military aircraft. CAS distinguishes itself by providing its customers with innovative, cost-effective maintenance solutions when and where they need it. Currently, CAS has 16 locations throughout the United States and holds a full 145 repair station license, servicing virtually every aircraft in operation. CAS provides line maintenance services in ANC, DEN, ELP, IAH, LAS, LAX, LGA, LGB, ONT, ORD, PDX, PHX, SBD, SEA, SFO and SNA. For more information about CAS, visit the CAS website at www.CertifiedAviation.com.