

Adams Aviation has been acquired by global aerospace and defence industry expert Pattonair.

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Adams Aviation is pleased to announce that, from 1st September, they became part of the Pattonair Group, the world's largest independent aircraft parts supplier!

This exciting strategic alliance will help continue Adams' growth, extend its geographical reach and propel it into the future.

Stephen Gosling, Adams Aviation's CEO said:

"Pattonair's customer-focus, ambition and global reach add exponentially to Adams' longstanding mission of getting aircraft where they should be; back in the air. As we discussed the transaction it became increasingly apparent that the ethos of both companies is very alike in that we both put customer service first, whether that be customers, suppliers or staff. All three are key and treating them as second to none, vital for our success.

The Adams team is very rightly envied across our industry and Frank, Anika, Neil and I, as owners, have all been proud to have contributed to that team for decades. We will be staying on to aid the transition to the new ownership and are absolutely sure that Adams' future is very bright indeed."

The new agreement is seen as a mutually beneficial move for both companies, as Pattonair CEO Wayne Hollinshead explained:

"At Pattonair we have a strong history in the aerospace industry and we are delighted to be further strengthening our position in the market. This deal presents us with new opportunities for growth. It also gives Adams significant opportunities to grow into both Asia and North America, given our wide presence in these regions."

At Adams, we see this as tremendously positive. If you, as one of our valued customers or suppliers, have any concerns or, far more likely, see opportunities to further our relationship and increase business together please do contact us at any time!

About Adams Aviation Supply Co Ltd

Adams Aviation Supply is Europe's largest distributor of parts and accessories for general and business aviation. Our full range is available to qualified trade customers, with globally competitive prices, quantity breaks and price-sensitive alternatives, and all without hidden extras. Adams Aviation Supply offers market-leading traceability with the goods at no extra charge, along with same-day dispatch for next-day delivery across Europe, or via consolidated shipments. Adams has EASA 145 approval and carries over 130 must-have product-lines, offered by experts for each product-type and with, of course, aviation in your language. After all, we are Europe's *plane speaking people*. For more information, visit<u>www.adamsaviation.com</u> or <u>CLICK HERE</u> to access our capabilities and catalogues.

For over 50 years Customer Service has always been the order of the day at Adams.

About Pattonair

attonair is the aerospace and defense industry's leading global supply chain service provider, boasting a legacy of excellence and innovation in the sector of almost 50 years. Headquartered in Derby, UK, it offers a global service though dedicated facilities in Singapore, China, Poland, Brazil, France, Italy, Canada and five cities in the USA. Its supports blue chip engine and airframe manufacturers and MRO customers with tailored supply chain management solutions providing C-class parts. The company prides itself on providing outstanding customer service, high quality standards and approval systems.