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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## AIR NAMIBIA'S WDH - FRA FLIGHT BACK ON TRACK

Air Namibia hereby wishes to inform the flying public and our esteemed stakeholders that it's Windhoek – Frankfurt flight is again operating as per schedule. This follows an incident that involved one of our Airbus A330 – 200 over the weekend, at Frankfurt Airport, Germany.

Air Namibia hereby confirms that our A330 landed at Hosea Kutako International Airport (HKIA) this morning, Monday 18 November 2019 at 08:25 a.m. (local time). The flight made a speedy turnaround and resourcefully took off for the flight back to Frankfurt at 10:00 a.m.

Preliminary investigations into the matter indicated that the damage caused by the incident was not a major consequence, enabling the aircraft to return back to operation. The investigation into the matter by Luftfrahrt-Bundesamt (LBA) is however, ongoing.

As per the aviation safety standards, all aircraft are thoroughly inspected to be 100% airworthy before take-off. Safety remains at the heart of Air Namibia's operations. We extend our gratitude to our travelers for their patience during this schedule disruption.

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