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Finnair plans more YYZ service in 2010



Finnair has announced that it will operate five non-stop flights per week between Toronto and Helsinki starting June 6, 2010. The carrier's all-economy class flights will depart on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, leaving Toronto at 10:50 p.m., arriving in Helsinki at 2 p.m. the next afternoon. Return flights will depart Helsinki at 5:45 p.m., arriving in Toronto at 7:35 p.m. on the same day. This schedule will be in effect from June 6 to September 9, 2010.

Michael Maass, Finnair's sales director for North America, pointed out that the new schedule will suit travellers who want to take the shortest route to Asia - via Helsinki;" adding that "the Toronto flights will connect very well with our scheduled service to Bangkok, Beijing, Delhi, Hong Kong, Nagoya, Osaka, Seoul, Shanghai and Tokyo."

"Smart travelers love to travel via Helsinki since it allows them to bypass congested airports like Frankfurt or Paris. In addition to their actual time in the air, transfer times are usually much shorter," Maas said. Go to <http://www.finnair.com> for more.

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