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Team Worldwide Announces Retirement of Chief Operating Officer, Dick Perkins

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Team Worldwide announces the retirement of Dick Perkins, Chief Operating Officer of Team Worldwide with 33 years serving the company in various Executive Leadership roles. In his decades of service to our company, Dick has been instrumental in the success of leading the operation and taking us to a new level of excellence. Team appreciates the myriad of things Dick has accomplished. Dick's retirement will go into effect on June 30, 2021.

"The Airforwarders Association's membership and I will always have a sincere appreciation of Dick Perkins for his dedication to our organization and the guidance he provided during one of the most challenging periods in the freight forwarding industry. His vast experience and extensive knowledge made Dick the ideal forwarding professional to work with our organization in assisting us during the government's creation of a sensible security policy. While we will miss Dick, we wish him well as he enters this exciting stage of his life and would like to offer our heartfelt congratulations for a well-deserved retirement," Brandon Fried, Executive Director at The Airforwarders Association shared.

Throughout his career of over 51 years in the industry, Dick has played an instrumental role in a wide range of executive positions including Chief Operating Officer, Chief Ethics Officer, Vice President of Operations and Contract Advisor. With his work at Burlington, Novo Air Freight, and Airborne Air Freight, he came to Team with a wealth of knowledge and experience. He was valued for his dedication, integrity and the unmatched level of respect he earned across our industry.

"Dick Perkins has consistently demonstrated the highest levels of professionalism and excellence throughout his impressive career at Team Worldwide. He's been a great friend and role model for many years, and I will certainly miss working with him going forward", says Wally Devereaux, Managing Director at Southwest Airlines Cargo and Charters. "All of us here at Southwest Airlines Cargo wish him the best going forward in his well-deserved retirement."

Dick is a trusted confidant, heavily relied on by the Team Worldwide Branch network for strategic thinking, a listening ear to navigate through mediation, or an enforcer to our structure and organization's rules. As the industry was hit with challenges, Dick has been a constant support to our people and our organization. He has mentored many young leaders in his time with Team and we are fortunate to have his footprints to follow.

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David Hubbell, co-owner of our Tampa Branch, mentored by Dick shared, "Dick Perkins - the man, the myth, the legend! You are the most cut and dry person that I have ever known. Thanks to a friendship of 32 years, I have never doubted our friendship whether as a boss and an employee or as an owner and a corporate employee. You always stand strong in support of the Team system and Team values. Whether we as owners like it or not you are definitely my S.A.C. I wish you nothing but happiness in your retirement including riding your bike on the open road with the wind in what hair you have left. Happy trails my friend!"

"We, in CVG, congratulate Dick and share our sincere appreciation for the gentle wisdom and guidance he has provided our entire staff for many, many, many years" said Bobbie Mattis, CVG Branch owner. "As Branch owner, I had the opportunity to get to know Dick both professionally and as someone I consider a dear friend. I could not count the times when my staff has approached me with a question or problem and my first reaction was to get Dick involved. You will be dearly missed!! Our hope is that the next chapter holds great experiences and you can gear down considering everyday a vacation! You are loved!" Jason Brunson, Chairman, CEO at Team says, "We are forever grateful to Dick for the decades of service and leadership. Whether past or present leadership, Team continues to focus on building our bench to allow our Branches to provide operational excellence, trusted customer service and solutions that are the best fit for our client base. Dick has contributed so much to our foundation and we celebrate his talents and his retirement."

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About Team Worldwide: Team Worldwide, a global yet locally-minded freight forwarder and 3PL company, provides customized logistics solutions to customers via the operating divisions of Team Air Express, Team Transportation, Team Logistics, Team Ocean Services, Team Customs Brokerage, Team International Trade Services, and Team Worldwide, LTD. Established in 1979, Team Worldwide celebrates 40 years of service and is proud to meet the logistics and compliance needs of clients across the globe. With over 45 Branch Offices in North America and over 170 international locations supported by Team International Global Alliance, our organization is built on family values and entrepreneurial spirit. For over 20 years, Team Worldwide continues to be the Official Logistics Partner for USA Luge. www.teamww.com

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