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## **SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL RATED BEST AIRPORT IN NORTH AMERICA**

**SAN FRANCISCO** -- For the *fourth* consecutive year, the readers of *Business Traveller Germany* have rated San Francisco International (SFO) as the Best Airport in North America. The award, the result of a reader research poll conducted in 2005, was presented in Frankfurt, Germany on January 17, 2006. The results of the entire survey are included in the magazine's March/April 2006 issue.

Airport Director John L. Martin was very pleased to receive word of San Francisco International's selection. "The readers of *Business Traveller Germany* have now selected SFO for the fourth year in a row as the Best Airport in North America, a reflection of the Airport Commission's commitment to provide not only unparalleled safety and security, but also a world-class efficient facility," said Martin.

Surveys indicated readers valued efficient and easily-navigated facilities with excellent accessibility whether via public transit, ground transportation or highway systems. With the airport's terminals all under one roof, which are also connected by an intra-airport people-mover system, the AirTrain, passengers move smoothly through the terminals. In addition, the Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) station, located in the International Terminal, provides quick access to the city center and surrounding Bay Area communities. "Everyone at San Francisco International understands the needs of our travelers and we value their trust, their business, and most of all their time. This award is confirmation that SFO is indeed the Bay Area's *and again* Germany's 'Airport of Choice.'"

*Business Traveller Germany* is one of the most popular travel magazines in Germany with a circulation of 210,000 annually. *Business Traveller International*, also publishes editions in Great Britain, Hong Kong, the Middle East, and the United States.

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**About San Francisco International Airport**

SFO ([www.flysfo.com](http://www.flysfo.com)) connects non-stop with more than 60 cities in the United States on 20 domestic airlines, including more than twice as many non-stop flights to the New York area than other Bay Area airports combined. In addition, SFO offers non-stop links with more than 29 international points on 25 international carriers, making SFO the Bay Area's Airport of Choice.