





## For Immediate Release

# BBA Aviation/Signature Flight Support Moving Headquarters to Lake Nona Town Center

Orlando, Fla.; October 17, 2017 – <u>Tavistock Development Company</u>, a diversified real estate firm owned by Tavistock Group, announced earlier today that <u>BBA</u>
<u>Aviation/Signature Flight Support</u> has selected <u>Lake Nona Town Center</u> for the company's new headquarters.

Developed by Tavistock Development Co., PCL Construction plans to break ground on the new office building this fall with a projected completion date in late 2018.

Conveniently located within the growing <u>Lake Nona Town Center</u> at the southwest corner of Veteran's Way and Lake Nona Boulevard, the new BBA Aviation/Signature Flight Support headquarters will consist of 65,000 SF within the newest six-story, class-A multi-tenant office building at Lake Nona Town Center.

"We could not be more pleased to locate our new BBA Aviation/Signature Flight Support headquarters in the Lake Nona Town Center," noted Maria A. Sastre, President and Chief Operating Officer for Signature Flight Support. "This state-of-theart business and residential community offers endless benefits for our employees, and for the future of BBA Aviation/Signature Flight Support. We have designed a superior working environment for our team, where we will continue to drive our world-class business forward, and we very much look forward to becoming part of the Lake Nona community."

BBA Aviation/Signature Flight Support's new headquarters facility will be LEED-designed and will implement the latest innovations in climate control, natural light, collaborative spaces, ergonomic work stations and outdoor spaces. Occupancy is expected in the first quarter of 2019.

Designed by award-winning architecture firm <u>m+a architects</u>, with interior architecture of the BBA/Signature Flight Support headquarters by <u>Little</u>, the new headquarter offices will have a prime location within Tavistock's master-designed Lake Nona, which remains the region's fastest-growing community.



The headquarters will be located in the newest office building in the growing Lake Nona Town Center at the intersection of Veteran's Way and Lake Nona Boulevard.

Developed in partnership with Steiner + Associates serving as the exclusive retail planning, leasing and development services partner, Lake Nona Town Center is a 100-acre, 3.8 million square foot mixed-use experiential magnet and regional destination nestled within the large-scale Lake Nona master-planned community. At full buildout, Lake Nona Town Center will include more than 80 specialty retailers, anchors, junior anchors and restaurants.

Lake Nona Town Center has already successfully opened and leased 75,000 square feet of class-A office space, 16,000 square feet of retail and restaurant space, a dual branded Courtyard by Marriott and Residence Inn by Marriott hotel, and a multi-level parking structure.

Additional new office projects within the Lake Nona community include various built-to-suit opportunities from the Sports & Performance District to the growing southern portion of the Lake Nona development along Boggy Creek Road and the south entrance to Orlando International Airport. This developing portion of the property is home to Voxx International Corporation's headquarter campus and recently landed a new Amazon high-tech fulfillment center that is set to open next year.

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#### ABOUT LAKE NONA

Orlando's Lake Nona is one of the fastest-growing communities in America with more than 10 million square feet of world-class residential and commercial facilities. The large-scale, master-designed community is home to thoughtfully designed neighborhoods, world-class education facilities, a Health & Life Sciences Cluster, a Sports & Performance District highlighted by USTA's New Home of American Tennis – the largest tennis facility in the world, diverse work spaces, recreational facilities, retail centers, and entertainment venues encompassing the best Orlando has to offer with all the conveniences of a dynamic, vibrant community. Driven by a long-term vision, Lake Nona is committed to building an innovative community that inspires human potential whilst being focused on sustainable design, healthy living, and groundbreaking gigabit fiber optic technology. Adjacent to Orlando International Airport, Lake Nona will feature millions of square feet of commercial space, thousands of hotel rooms, 25,000+ residents and hundreds of shops and restaurants.

#### ABOUT TAVISTOCK DEVELOPMENT CO.

Tavistock Development Company is a diversified real estate firm owned by Tavistock Group specializing in planning, design, finance, construction and development. Tavistock Development Company's real estate portfolio is highlighted by the large-scale, master-planned community Lake Nona in Orlando, Florida, in addition to its infrastructure network, residential, office and retail development and medical and educational institutions. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.tavistockdevelopment.com">www.tavistockdevelopment.com</a>

### ABOUT BBA AVIATION/SIGNATURE FLIGHT SUPPORT

BBA Aviation plc is a market leading, global aviation support and aftermarket services provider, primarily focused on servicing the Business and General Aviation (B&GA) market. We support our customers through three principal businesses: Signature Flight Support and Signature TECHNICAirTM which are focused on refuelling, ground handling and MRO services through the world's largest fixed base operation (FBO) network for B&GA users with around 200 locations covering key destinations in North America, Europe, South America, Caribbean, Africa and Asia. Ontic is a leading provider of high-quality equipment and cost-effective solutions for the continuing support of maturing and legacy aerospace platforms with locations in the USA, Europe and Asia. Engine Repair & Overhaul/Global Engine Services is a leading independent engine service provider to global B&GA operators, the rotorcraft market and regional airline fleets with locations in the USA, Europe, South America, Asia and the Middle East. For more information, please visit www.bbaaviation.com

Signature Flight Support, a BBA Aviation plc company, is the world's largest fixed-base operation (FBO) and distribution network for business aviation services. Signature services include fueling, hangar and office rentals, ground handling, maintenance and a wide range of crew and passenger amenities at strategic domestic and international locations. Headquartered in Orlando, Florida, Signature currently operates at more than 200 locations in the United States, Europe, South America, Africa and Asia. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.signatureflight.com">www.signatureflight.com</a> or on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/signatureflightsupport">www.facebook.com/signatureflightsupport</a>. Follow Signature Flight Support on Twitter: SignatureFBO