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## **Orlando Sanford Announces Nonstop Flights to Bloomington, IL**

**Sanford, FL, January 18, 2012** – Orlando Sanford International Airport (SFB) and Allegiant announce scheduled, nonstop, low-fare service beginning May 16th to Central Illinois Regional Airport (BMI) in Bloomington-Normal, Illinois. Centrally located in the heart of Illinois, the Airport serves Peoria, Springfield, Decatur and Champaign, all within an hour. Allegiant is offering one-way fares as low as \$64.99 plus tax and fees.

Bloomington service marks the 40<sup>th</sup> nonstop destination offered by Allegiant from Orlando Sanford. Service will operate two days per week on Sunday and Thursday. Flights depart Orlando Sanford at 7:00 AM and arrive in Bloomington at 8:30 AM. Return service is scheduled to leave Bloomington at 9:10 AM and arrive at Orlando Sanford at 12:30 PM. (all flight times are local).

Allegiant will utilize 150-seat, MD-80 series jet aircraft. Reservations may be made through the company's website at [www.Allegiant.com](http://www.Allegiant.com) or by calling Allegiant's travel experts at 702-505-8888.

“According to Larry Dale, Airport President/CEO, “Allegiant’s new service to Bloomington will afford our Central Florida community another tremendous opportunity to visit America’s heartland; A sure winner!”

“We’re pleased to bring an affordable and convenient travel option to Central Illinois,” said Andrew C. Levy, Allegiant Travel Company President.

Orlando Sanford International Airport is SFB: Simpler. Faster. Better. - Simpler airport design, Faster airport processing and a Better airport experience. Visitors enjoy the “Best of Both Worlds,” with the Airport located midway between Orlando’s World Class attractions and the World’s Most Famous Beach - Daytona Beach; both are 50 minutes or less. For more information about SFB, visit the airport’s website at [www.OrlandoSanfordAirport.com](http://www.OrlandoSanfordAirport.com).