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Item 8.01 Other Events

AMR Corporation is filing herewith a press release issued on October 5, 2009 by American Airlines, Inc. as Exhibit 99.1, which is included herein. This press release was issued to report September traffic for American Airlines, Inc.

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AMR CORPORATION

/s/ Kenneth W. Wimberly  
Kenneth W. Wimberly  
Corporate Secretary

Dated: October 5, 2009

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit Description

99.1 Press Release

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FOR RELEASE: Monday, Oct. 5, 2009

AMERICAN AIRLINES REPORTS SEPTEMBER TRAFFIC

FORT WORTH, Texas – American Airlines reported a September load factor of 79.4 percent, an increase of 2.8 points versus the same period last year. Traffic decreased 3.5 percent and capacity decreased 6.9 percent year over year. Domestic traffic decreased 2.6 percent year over year on 6.9 percent less capacity. International traffic decreased by 4.9 percent relative to last year on a capacity decrease of 7.0 percent. American boarded 6.5 million passengers in September.

Detailed traffic and capacity data are on the following pages.

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AMERICAN AIRLINES PASSENGER DIVISION  
COMPARATIVE PRELIMINARY TRAFFIC SUMMARY  
EXCLUDES CHARTER SERVICES

|                               | September  |            |           |        |       |     |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------|-------|-----|
|                               | 2009       | 2008       |           | CHANGE |       |     |
| REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000) |            |            |           |        |       |     |
| SYSTEM                        | 9,515,376  | 9,858,118  | -3.5      | %      |       |     |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 5,927,012  | 6,084,138  | -2.6      |        |       |     |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 3,588,364  | 3,773,980  | -4.9      |        |       |     |
| ATLANTIC                      | 1,635,040  | 1,702,619  | -4.0      |        |       |     |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 1,543,532  | 1,625,378  | -5.0      |        |       |     |
| PACIFIC                       | 409,792    | 445,983    | -8.1      |        |       |     |
| AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)    |            |            |           |        |       |     |
| SYSTEM                        | 11,980,753 | 12,869,299 | -6.9      | %      |       |     |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 7,453,491  | 8,003,389  | -6.9      |        |       |     |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 4,527,262  | 4,865,910  | -7.0      |        |       |     |
| ATLANTIC                      | 2,005,119  | 2,185,091  | -8.2      |        |       |     |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 1,989,334  | 2,116,323  | -6.0      |        |       |     |
| PACIFIC                       | 532,809    | 564,496    | -5.6      |        |       |     |
| LOAD FACTOR                   |            |            |           |        |       |     |
| SYSTEM                        | 79.4       | %          | 76.6      | %      | 2.8   | Pts |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 79.5       |            | 76.0      |        | 3.5   |     |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 79.3       |            | 77.6      |        | 1.7   |     |
| ATLANTIC                      | 81.5       |            | 77.9      |        | 3.6   |     |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 77.6       |            | 76.8      |        | 0.8   |     |
| PACIFIC                       | 76.9       |            | 79.0      |        | -2.1  |     |
| PASSENGERS BOARDED            | 6,512,308  |            | 6,764,726 |        | -3.7  | %   |
| SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)  | 140,981    |            | 158,920   |        | -11.3 | %   |

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|                               | YTD September |             |       |   |        |
|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------|---|--------|
|                               | 2009          | 2008        |       |   | CHANGE |
| REVENUE PASSENGER MILES (000) |               |             |       |   |        |
| SYSTEM                        | 92,487,956    | 101,363,420 | -8.8  |   | %      |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 58,030,067    | 64,335,028  | -9.8  |   |        |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 34,457,889    | 37,028,392  | -6.9  |   |        |
| ATLANTIC                      | 14,175,429    | 14,789,059  | -4.1  |   |        |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 16,272,485    | 18,083,628  | -10.0 |   |        |
| PACIFIC                       | 4,009,975     | 4,155,704   | -3.5  |   |        |
| AVAILABLE SEAT MILES (000)    |               |             |       |   |        |
| SYSTEM                        | 114,856,184   | 124,712,911 | -7.9  |   | %      |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 70,032,550    | 78,019,694  | -10.2 |   |        |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 44,823,635    | 46,693,217  | -4.0  |   |        |
| ATLANTIC                      | 18,258,751    | 18,710,339  | -2.4  |   |        |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 21,482,994    | 22,957,921  | -6.4  |   |        |
| PACIFIC                       | 5,081,890     | 5,024,957   | 1.1   |   |        |
| LOAD FACTOR                   |               |             |       |   |        |
| SYSTEM                        | 80.5          | %           | 81.3  | % | -0.8   |
| D.O.T. DOMESTIC               | 82.9          |             | 82.5  |   | 0.4    |
| INTERNATIONAL                 | 76.9          |             | 79.3  |   | -2.4   |
| ATLANTIC                      | 77.6          |             | 79.0  |   | -1.4   |
| LATIN AMERICA                 | 75.7          |             | 78.8  |   | -3.0   |
| PACIFIC                       | 78.9          |             | 82.7  |   | -3.8   |
| PASSENGERS BOARDED            | 64,826,143    | 71,337,623  | -9.1  |   | %      |
| SYSTEM CARGO TON MILES (000)  | 1,185,063     | 1,547,240   | -23.4 |   | %      |

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