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Press release

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Adverse weather conditions on 2 February 2009

Events recap and evaluation of the situation at 10.30 p.m.

Paris-Charles de Gaulle airport

- Opening of snow command center: 1 a.m.
- Snow clearing teams: 150 people have been working since the beginning of the night to pre-emptively clear the runways, taxiways and aircraft stands.
- De-icing capacities are optimum.
- Number of operational runways: all four. All the runways have been operational and safe since 5 a.m. this morning
- Average delays at 10.30 p.m.: 50 minutes, for departures as well as arrivals.

Paris-Orly airport

- Snow removal teams: 90 people have been working since 3 a.m. to pre-emptively clear the runways and the taxiways.
- 8 cm of snow
- Number of operational runways: all two.
- Disrupted traffic between 6 and 9 a.m. further to difficulties to provide aircraft with fuel (the aviation fuel suppliers working with airlines operating at Paris-Orly airport had met difficulties linked to the specificity of their material this morning).
- Average delays at 10.30 p.m.: 2 hours for departures and 30 minutes for arrivals.

Aéroports de Paris advises passengers to contact their airline in order to get more information about their flight.

Adverse weather conditions in Europe are causing delays in traffic between Paris and Great-Britain. Gatwick was temporarily closed last night, at Heathrow only one runway out of the 2 is operational and London City will be closed all day.

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