

## **CELEBRATING 80 YEARS OF INTERNATIONAL FLYING**

Qantas logo and text 'Celebrating 80 Years of International Flying', 'A look at key Qantas milestones from 80 year of International flying.'

Timeline of major events in Qantas' history with short videos and picture to accompany text:

'17 April 1935 – First international passenger flight Brisbane – Singapore'. Video of plane taking off.

'4 August 1938 – Inaugural Empire flying boat service from Rose Bay, Sydney – Singapore'. Video of plane flying in air and taking off in Sydney Harbour.

'10 July 1943 – Inaugural Double Sunrise Catalina flight Perth – Ceylon'. Video of plane flying over houses and in the sky.

'1 December 1947 – First all-Qantas Kangaroo Route service Sydney-London by Constellation'. Video of engine from inside cabin, image of plane flying above clouds, image of plane landing at airport.

'15 May 1954 – First Qantas trans-Pacific service to USA, Sydney-San Francisco with Super Constellation'. Image of Super Constellation on ground, crew standing on stairs, aircraft flying.

'2 July 1959 – Delivery of first Qantas Boeing 707 used in first trans-Pacific jet service and trans-Tasman jet service to New Zealand'. Video of plane being towed from hanger and flying.

'16 August 1971 – Delivery of first Qantas Boeing 747B jumbo jet'. Video of jet flying.

'18 August 1989 – Record breaking non-stop delivery flight by VH-OJA, London-Sydney'. Video of jet flying over clouds and landing at airport.

'19 September 2008 – Delivery of first Airbus A380 aircraft'. Time lapse video of plane being assembled in hanger.

'31 March 2013 – Qantas – Emirates partnership begins with Kangaroo Route service via Dubai'. Video of Emirate aircraft.

Graphic of Qantas logo and text 'Celebrating 80 Years of International Flying', 'Eighty years later we're celebrating an international network that services every continent, spanning a network of more than 250 destinations in over 60 countries'.