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FlixBus Expands to Rail: FlixBus Provides Affordable Travel for All

++ FlixBus launches "FlixBus" with special event in Hamburg, Germany, on March 23

++ Tickets from €9.99 on www.FlixBus.com, via the App and at FlixBus Ticket Shops

++ The Future of Mobility: FlixBus and FlixBus continue to change the way people travel

MUNICH (March 6, 2018) – Five years after the launch of FlixBus, Europe's largest long-distance mobility provider, the company behind the green buses is adding trains to their network. FlixBus will begin regular service on March 24, 2018, with Hamburg to Dusseldorf to Cologne as the first route. By the end of April, a total of 28 destinations throughout Germany will be connected via FlixBus.

"Bus and rail complement each other perfectly. By adding FlixBus to the FlixBus offering, we can provide affordable travel options to even more people," said André Schwämmlein, CEO and Co-Founder of FlixBus. "We are demonstrating that comfortable long-distance travel does not need to be expensive."

FlixBus tickets will begin at € 9.99 and are available at www.FlixBus.com, via the free App and in FlixBus Ticket Shops throughout Germany.

FlixBus and FlixBus Provide Ecological Alternative to Car Travel

FlixBus will be integrated into the FlixBus network throughout Germany, providing new alternatives to car travel.

"We stand for affordable travel and an ecological alternative to the car," said Schwämmlein. "The FlixBus goal is to persuade – and allow – more people to take public transportation options on long routes. With our network now consisting of bus and rail, we are creating a sustainable concept for the future of mobility."

Network Expansion, Product Innovation and FlixBus USA

Since launching FlixBus in 2013, the company has transported over 100 million passengers via 250,000 daily connections. In 2018, FlixBus will continue to invest in grid expansion including new cross-border lines and additional destinations across the 27 countries currently serviced by FlixBus. Beyond Europe, FlixBus will launch in the United States beginning in Summer 2018, with the first connections throughout California and the SouthWest USA.

"Over the past five years, FlixBus has fundamentally changed the way people travel in Europe," said Schwämmlein. "Together with FlixBus and our launch in the US, we want to give even more people the opportunity to travel sustainably and comfortably over the next five years."

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About FlixBus

FlixBus is a young mobility provider, offering new alternatives for convenient, affordable and environmentally-friendly travel via the FlixBus and FlixBus brands. Thanks to a unique business model and innovative technology, the startup has quickly established Europe's largest long-distance bus network and launched the first green long-distance trains in 2018. Since 2013, FlixBus has changed the way over 100 million people have traveled throughout Europe and created thousands of new jobs in the mobility industry.

From locations throughout Europe, the FlixBus handles technology development, network planning, operations control, marketing & sales, quality management and continuous product expansion. The daily scheduled service and green FlixBus fleet is managed by bus partners from regional SMEs, while FlixBus operates in cooperation with private train companies. Through these partnerships, innovation, entrepreneurial spirit and a strong international brand meet the experience and quality of tradition. The unique combination of technology start-up, e-commerce platform and classic transport company has positioned FlixBus as a leader against major international corporations, permanently changing the European mobility landscape. Further company news and pictures can be found in the newsroom.

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