



PRESS NOTE

GDHF FIRMS UP 10 X H175 SUPER MEDIUM OPTIONS, BRINGING TOTAL TO 20 X FIRM H175 ORDERS, AND SIGNIFICANTLY ENHANCES THE GDHF H175 CONFIGURATION

Dublin, 02 June 2025: GDHF (GD Helicopter Finance) has announced a significant expansion of its Airbus H175 Super Medium order book, firming up the 10 x H175 orders that were previously options. This latest contractual commitment brings GDHF's total firm H175 orders to 20 aircraft, with the first H175 having already delivered in December 2024.

GDHF has also contracted significant enhancements to the H175 order book configuration, aimed at further optimizing performance and operational capability of the H175 in the offshore



and LIMSAR role. This strategic move underscores GDHF's confidence in the H175 platform and its commitment to supporting the evolving needs of its global customer base.

Michael York (CEO, GDHF) said "We are very pleased to firm up our ten H175 options, taking the GDHF total firm order book to twenty H175's. This high conviction decision reflects our observation of strong sustained demand for modern, cost-efficient helicopters in the offshore energy sector and the H175 in particular. GDHF is proud to offer near term availability of the H175 to our customers. The H175 is ideally suited to meet the evolving needs of offshore operations, and the configuration enhancements GDHF have made will widen the mission capabilities of the GDHF H175 aircraft, for our customers and end users"

Regis Magnac (VP & Head of Energy, Leasing & Global Accounts - Airbus Helicopters) said "GDHF's decision to convert the H175 options into firm orders for an additional 10 aircraft is a powerful endorsement of the H175's robust asset valuation and its increasing prominence in the super medium category. Their commitment to enhancing the H175 for multirole capabilities, including offshore passenger transport with integrated lifesaving SAR functionality, demonstrates a deep understanding of the versatile operational requirements of their clients. This expanded commitment not only deepens our valued collaboration but also highlights the H175's vital role in delivering high-performance, competitive solutions to meet the needs of ever-growing global flyers of H175".

About GDHF

<u>GD Helicopter Finance (GDHF)</u> is a helicopter finance company based in Ireland. GDHF is rapidly growing a large portfolio of the newest technology, efficient, cost-effective, multi-mission helicopters (via order books), and leasing to customers globally. GDHF's goal is to build the best team and platform in the industry, setting a strong long-term culture of customer focus, trust, integrity, excellence, speed and flexibility. GDHF also offers our customers the capacity to readily deploy additional capital to meet market requirements for helicopter financing.

About H175

In service since 2015, Airbus' H175 belongs to the super-medium class of helicopters, combining long-range and payload with smooth flight qualities, making it the optimal solution for a wide range of onshore and offshore mission profiles, including disaster relief, search & rescue and other public services, as well as crew change and private and business aviation. More than 70 H175s have been delivered to date and have accumulated more than 250,000 flight hours, of which 225,000 are from offshore transport.

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