

Noida airport selects firms for ground handling

Noida: Noida International Airport on Friday entered into a concession agreement with the Bird Group to provide ground-handling resources and services at the upcoming airport in Jewar.

The partnership will ensure efficient and seamless ground-handling activities at the airport, enhancing the overall passenger experience, the airport officials said.

Under the agreement, Bird Group will take on an extensive set of responsibilities for the ground handling project including everything from ensuring a warm welcome to passengers to smooth ramp operations and meticulous attention to baggage.

"The focus is on creating an environment that prioritizes efficiency and passenger satisfaction," the airport said in a statement.

"In line with the airport's aspiration towards net zero carbon emissions, Bird Group will ensure that all ground service equipment (GSE) will be electric-powered. This will help reduce the carbon footprint at the airport paving the way for more sustainable operations," it added.

Noida International Airport's CEO Christoph Schnellmann said Bird Group's proven expertise and commitment to innovation will be invaluable as we strive to create a world-class airport.

Gaurav Bhatia, executive director of Bird Group, said, "We are committed towards setting new benchmarks for service delivery and sustainability by introducing newer processes and technologies." PTI