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New Air Link Murmansk - Tromsø

A new international line of Aeroflot has opened. It links the city of Murmansk with the city of Tromsø in northern Norway.

This air link, which has reduced the travelling time more than tenfold, will favor the strengthening of economic ties between the northern regions of the USSR and Norway. Moreover, the new line opens up great possibilities for expanding the exchange of tourists. In particular, the international tourist route

Tromsø-Murmansk-Spitsbergen-Tromsø which has been under discussion with the Norwegians for some time now becomes feasible.

Among those making the inaugural flight were members of an official delegation from the provincial council of Tromsø, who came to Murmansk to discuss the program of joint action within the framework of border cooperation between Norway's northern regions and the USSR, and also a group of Norwegian businessmen.

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