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SkyQuest International Places De Havilland DHC-8-102

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SkyQuest International, LLC, as Acquisition Agent for Salamis Aviation, Limited (Nassau, Bahamas), arranged the purchase of one (1) de Havilland DHC-8-102 Aircraft (serial number 086) to Avmax Aircraft Leasing, Inc. (Alberta, Canada).

De Havilland Canada began development of the Dash 8 in the late 1970s in response to what it saw as a considerable market demand for a new generation 30 to 40 seat commuter airliner. The Dash 8 features a high mounted wing and tail, with an advanced flight control system and large full-length trailing edge flaps. Power is supplied by two Pratt & Whitney Canada PW120 series (originally designated PT7A) turboprops.

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