

Skyrise Leasing officially Launches as a mission-driven helicopter lessor to Strengthen Europe's Aerial Firefighting Capabilities

Dublin, Ireland – 11 November 2025 – Skyrise Leasing today announced its official launch as a new Global helicopter leasing company focused on mission-critical aerial operations, starting with firefighting missions across Europe.

Founded by aviation professionals with extensive experience in helicopter operations, fleet acquisition and asset financing, Skyrise Leasing provides agile and dependable leasing solutions designed to enhance operational readiness for government agencies and specialized operators.

With its initial portfolio focused on firefighting operations, Skyrise Leasing aims to address the growing need for highly capable, rapidly deployable helicopters to support a range of critical and emergency missions. The company's model is built around operational flexibility and mission-readiness.

"Our mission is to make unique capabilities and mission-ready helicopters available where and when they are needed most," said Patrick Moulay, CEO and co-founder of Skyrise Leasing. "We are initially focused on aerial firefighting, helping communities face the growing impact of wildfires, but our model is built to evolve " our long-term vision is broader: to bring flexible, mission-driven leasing solutions to critical aviation sectors across the globe."

Headquartered in Dublin and backed by strategic investors providing a strong foundation for sustained growth, targeted fleet expansion, and long-term operational partnerships, Skyrise Leasing operates with an agile business model designed to adapt quickly to evolving mission requirements and support diverse operational needs across the helicopter industry.

The company will share further updates during the European Rotors 2025 exhibition in Cologne.

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About Skyrise Leasing

Skyrise Leasing is an Ireland-based helicopter leasing company dedicated to supporting mission critical public services, with an initial focus on aerial firefighting operations. Skyrise Leasing offers flexible solutions for mission-ready aircraft, led by a seasoned aviation team and backed by strong financial and strategic partners. Skyrise Leasing combines operational expertise with a flexible business model initially targeted to meet the dynamic needs of operators and expand the availability of heavy-lift rotary assets.