FRONTIER AIRLINES INC /CO/ Form 10-Q January 30, 2006

FORM 10-Q

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

[X] QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 For the quarterly period ended December 31, 2005

[] TRANSITION REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission file number: 1-12805

FRONTIER AIRLINES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Colorado (State or other jurisdiction of incorporated or organization)

7001 Tower Road, Denver, CO (Address of principal executive offices)

84-1256945 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

> 80249 (Zip Code)

Issuer's telephone number including area code: (720) 374-4200

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes X No ____

Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer or large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one): Large accelerated filer $_$ Accelerated filer X Non-accelerated filer $_$

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Indicate by check mark whether the Registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes___ No X___

The number of shares of the Company's Common Stock outstanding as of January 25, 2006 was 36,189,705.

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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

FRONTIER AIRLINES, INC. Balance Sheets

Balance Sheets				
(Unaudited)		December 31, 2005		March 31, 2005
Assets		2005		2003
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	222,680,115	\$	171,794,772
Short-term investments	ψ	222,000,115	ψ	3,000,000
Restricted investments		39,917,028		28,011,395
Receivables, net of allowance for doubtful		57,717,020		20,011,575
accounts of \$1,239,000				
and \$927,000 at December 31, 2005 and March				
31, 2005, respectively		46,168,251		37,748,785
Security and other deposits		40,100,231		1,900,250
Prepaid expenses and other assets		19,904,842		18,740,220
		19,904,042		10,740,220
Inventories, net of allowance of \$373,000 and \$2,072,000 at				
\$3,973,000 at				
December 31, 2005 and March 31, 2005,		6714050		7 564 242
respectively		6,714,950		7,564,342
Assets held for sale (note 11)		4,069,131		1,317,334
Deferred tax assets		6,696,449		5,472,643
Total current assets		346,150,766		275,549,741
Property and equipment, net (note 4)		512,855,619		455,813,682
Security and other deposits		18,466,495		18,662,421
Aircraft pre-delivery payments		27,530,507		22,976,090
Restricted investments		3,689,465		11,126,307
Deferred loan expenses and other assets	.	8,293,048	.	7,882,430
Total assets	\$	916,985,900	\$	792,010,671
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	33,523,049	\$	37,240,376
Air traffic liability		109,744,065		112,688,811
Other accrued expenses (note 6)		56,527,372		55,337,203
Current portion of long-term debt (note 7)		21,984,429		18,222,539
Short-term borrowings		-		5,000,000
Deferred revenue and other current liabilities (note				
5)		10,459,415		5,361,422
Total current liabilities		232,238,330		233,850,351
Long-term debt related to aircraft (note 7)		318,866,303		282,792,222
Long-term debt - Convertible Notes (note 7)		92,000,000		-
Deferred tax liability		15,859,690		17,331,125
Deferred revenue and other liabilities (note 5)		22,104,797		20,116,667
Total liabilities		681,069,120		554,090,365
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, no par value, authorized				
1,000,000 shares; none issued				
1,000,000 shares, none issued		-		-

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Common stock, no par value, stated value of					
\$.001 per share,					
100,000,000 shares authorized; 36,189,705 and 35,995,342 issued and					
outstanding at December 31, 2005 and March 31,					
2005, respectively		36,190		35,995	
Additional paid-in capital		190,100,752		188,165,820	
Unearned ESOP shares	-		(2,270,652)		
Other comprehensive income (note 8)	180,578		271,267		
Retained earnings		45,599,260		51,717,876	
Total stockholders' equity		235,916,780		237,920,306	
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	916,985,900	\$	792,010,671	

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

FRONTIER AIRLINES, INC. Statements of Operations For the three and nine months ended December 31, 2005 and 2004 (Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended				Nine Months Ended			
	December 31, December 31, 2005 2004		,	December 31, 2005			December 31, 2004	
Revenues:								
Passenger - mainline	\$	217,812,040	\$	182,360,545	\$	655,276,441	\$	539,971,428
Passenger - regional partner		23,489,827						