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Rejuvenate your investment with PacMin's model MRO* services

*Exhibit models and cutaways are a staple at aviation events around the world. Instead of relying solely on static images, completion centers, like Greenpoint Technologies**, depend on visually dynamic models to illustrate their elegant, bespoke interiors.*

After traveling thousands of miles over the course of four years, Greenpoint's 747-8i cutaway model was beginning to lose its luster. Instead of investing in an entirely new model, Greenpoint brought their cutaway back to PacMin for some much deserved R & R (restoration and renovation).



(Right) This 1/20 scale
747-8i cutaway measures
13 feet (3.8 m) long.

* Maintenance, Repair, and Overhaul (MRO)

** Greenpoint Technologies is a premier Business Jet Completion Center for VIP, corporate, and commercial airline clients. They are a part of Zodiac Aerospace.

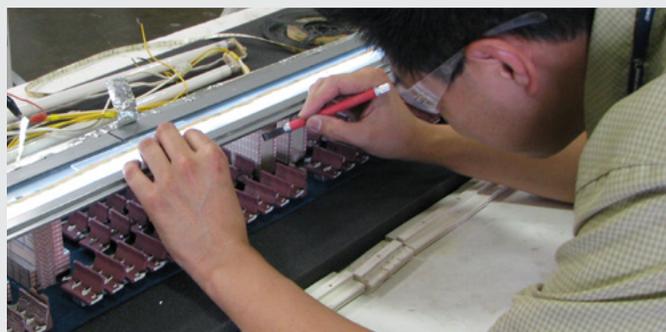


The massive Greenpoint cutaway model has appeared at numerous tradeshows and events around the world including EBACE, the Paris Air Show, and the Aircraft Interiors Show.

PACMIN OFFERS MODEL MRO SERVICES

PacMin can refurbish virtually any model whether it is military aircraft, historic airliner, or manufactured by a third-party. Services include:

Repairing lights or adding new features



Converting models to a cutaway or hanging model



Restoring and repainting paint schemes



Setting up and on-site event support



Greenpoint was concerned their model would need extensive repairs. During its travels, several sections of the cutaway had yellowed due to overexposure to harsh elements.

The PacMin team performed a full 12-point Display Worthiness Inspection to assess the model's condition.

Every aspect of the model, from the paint to the electrical components to the crate, were carefully reviewed and documented.

Aside from the yellowing, the model and crate were in good condition.

All the electrical components and lighting were still fully functional.

The cutaway was expected to make a full recovery.

It received a fresh coat of paint and the interior was given a thorough cleaning.

While the model received cosmetic overhauls, PacMin's team also updated the upper deck portion of the cutaway.

Greenpoint's 747-8i cutaway was ready to dazzle and shine again.

PacMin and PacMin Studio's comprehensive 12-point Display Worthiness Inspection and model "MRO" services extend your asset's lifetime and return on investment. ■



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