



IATA Live Animals Regulations

36th Edition (English)
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ADDENDUM I

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Users of the IATA Live Animals Regulations are asked to note the following amendments and corrections to the 36th Edition, effective from 1 October 2009.

Where appropriate, changes or amendments to existing text have been highlighted (in blue or red - PDF or grey - hardcopy) to help identify the change or amendment.

New or Amended Operator Variations (Section 3.2)

BA-01 to 06 – remain the same

BA-07 Brachycephalic Animals (snub nosed) and Dangerous Dogs

The following breeds will not be acceptable for carriage:

Snub-nosed dogs (pure breeds): All Bulldogs, Pugs and Pekinese.

Note: Cross breeds. A cross breed with another brachycephalic dog from the above list is still not acceptable for carriage. Cross breeds or pure breeds not listed above that have less restrictive brachycephalic features such as:-

Bull Mastiff, Boston Terrier, Boxer, Brussels Griffon, Shitz Tzu, Lhasa Apso, Chow Chow, Tibetan Spaniel, Shar Pei, English Toy Spaniel, King Charles Spaniel, Cavalier Spaniel, Japanese Spaniel and Japanese Chin are acceptable for carriage provided the kennel size is larger than the minimum BA size requirements as defined by BA. The larger kennel size requirement is to provide additional ventilation for the dog during the flight.

There are breeds of domestic cats with Brachycephalic features and currently these animals are not restricted on BA aircraft. The cat kennel size similarly should be slightly larger in order to provide additional ventilation for the cat during the flight. Species include Exotic, Himalayan and Persian.

Dangerous dogs: American Pit Bull, Fila Brasileiros, Japanese Tosa, Pit Bull Terrier, Togo Argentinos, American Staffordshire Terrier.

BA-08 Container Requirement 1 – Internal size. Each animal contained in the container must have enough space to turn about normally while standing, to stand and sit erect, and to lie in a natural position. To determine the correct 'internal' kennel dimensions, the **kennel length** is the distance from the root of tail to tip of nose plus half the elbow to ground measurement. The **kennel width** is twice the width of the widest point of the dog. The **kennel height** is the distance from floor to tip of ears.

(Refer to graphic page on our website www.baworldcargo.com)

Plywood to be 12mm ply –sides. Wire mesh to be 16 gauge 3/4 inch square / 19mm square.

BA-09 to BA-11 - remain the same

BA-12 Health Certificate.

BA requires a valid health certificate for domestic dogs and cats. The certificate must be dated to within ten days of the departure date.

X-ray screening

In some circumstances, the UK Department for Transport has instructed that it may be necessary to x-ray screen livestock and animal containers for export.

The Department for Transport advises that x-ray screening poses no health threat to livestock.

BA-13 remain the same

British Airways reserves the right to recover all court and fine violation costs

AY-01 For information concerning operational limitations on Finnair flights and embargoes on Finnair destinations, local Finnair Cargo office or GSA agency should be contacted in advance.

Contact information can be found from <http://www.finnaircargo.com/en/cargo/contact-info>

Permission, where applicable, must be requested from HEL-FL-AY:

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AY-02 Birds, commonly referred to as tropical birds, acceptable only with prior permission from HEL-FL-AY.

AY-03 Endangered species listed under CITES and other caught wild animals acceptable only with prior permission from HEL-FL-AY.

AY-04 remain the same

AY-05 Finnair does not carry any strongly smelling animals or other obnoxious items.

AY-06 Live animals, except aquatic fish (AVF) are not accepted on leisure flights (AY1001-2999 series).