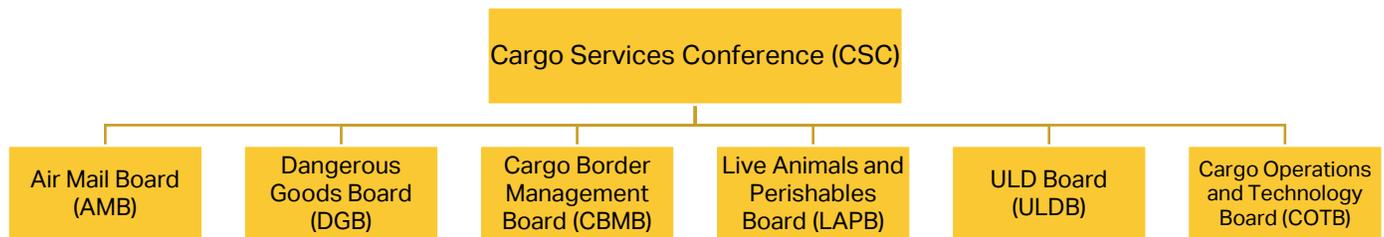


Special Cargo

The Special Cargo Strategic Partnerships Area of Involvement encompasses two of the key Boards established by Resolution under the Cargo Services Conference.

Each Board is an airline-only group overseeing the strategy and direction of standards development and implementation within a specific area of cargo services. The Board may also create subgroups to work on specific areas of standards.

The Special Cargo area is comprised of two Boards, the Dangerous Goods Board (DGB) and the Live Animals and Perishables Board (LAPB) and their subgroups. The DGB manages the development standards and guidance related to the transport of dangerous goods by air, including lithium batteries, applicable across the complete supply chain. The LAPB manages the development of standards for the transport of live animals and perishables, including pharmaceuticals.



Designed for

- Air cargo service providers
- Air cargo terminal handlers
- Pharmaceutical companies

Areas of Activity

- Live animals
- Dangerous goods
- Time & temperature sensitive goods including perishables, pharmaceuticals and healthcare sector

Exclusive Access to Meetings & Work Groups

[DANGEROUS GOOD BOARD \(DGB\)](#)

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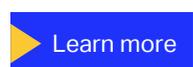
The objective of the DGB is to promote the safe transport of dangerous goods by air. This is accomplished by establishing clear, concise and practical procedures for shippers, freight forwarders and airlines. These Regulations are applicable worldwide and take into account the operational needs of our members, as well as the special conditions to

which a package is subject to during transport by air. The Board meets to consider and review new developments in the international regulatory arena. The Board discusses problems that arise in the transport of dangerous goods and acts to modify or develop new regulations as appropriate.

DANGEROUS GOODS TRAINING WORKING GROUPS (DGTWG)

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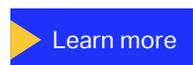
The DGTWG reports to the Dangerous Goods Board and meets twice a year to review all matters pertaining to dangerous goods training. It was established by the DGB to review, amend and update the IATA Dangerous Goods Training Programme. The contents thereof are current and fully aligned with the IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations. Other tasks are:

- To maintain and update the dangerous goods instructor's manual
- To review third party dangerous goods training programs submitted for endorsement by IATA in order to ensure they meet the required high standards.

LIVE ANIMALS & PERISHABLES BOARD (LAPB)

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The LAPB develops regulations for the acceptance, handling and loading of live animals in air transport. The regulations for shipping live animals are published in the IATA Live Animals Regulations (LAR), which is published annually in English, French, and Spanish. The LAPB also develops guidelines for handling and transporting time and temperature sensitive goods,

these include traditional perishables such as meat products, seafood, fruits, vegetables, plant products, cut flowers but also goods from the healthcare sector such as pharmaceuticals. The focus here is on adequate temperature management and efficient handling.

TIME AND TEMPERATURE WORKING GROUP (TTWG)

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The Time and Temperature Working Group recommends and maintains standards for the movement of goods that are sensitive to time and temperature such as perishables, including healthcare and pharmaceutical, which are critical for the supply chain logistics partners. More specifically, the working group is continuously revising the requirements as set in the Perishable Cargo Regulations manual (PCR) and in the Temperature Control Regulations (TCR). Its membership comprises airlines, manufacturers and third-party service providers. The working group meets in conjunction with the Live Animals and Perishables Board.

Exclusive Benefits

- Opportunity to network with airlines and IATA specialists in dangerous goods, live animals and perishable transportation
- Be informed of changes in regulations before made public
- Show case your products and services to technical experts from the industry
- Meet with regulatory authorities that attend the meetings as observers

Additional Strategic Partnerships' Benefits

Branding

- Recognition as a valuable supporter of IATA and the air transport industry
- Inclusion in the IATA Strategic Partnerships online directory
- Exclusive usage of the IATA Strategic Partnerships logo
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