



Inspection Report

TURK HAVA YOLLARI A O TURKISH AIRLINES
350 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 7510
NEW YORK, NY 10118

Customer ID: **26379**

Certificate: **21-T-0035**

Site: ORD

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TURKISH AIRLINES - ORD -
Chicago O'Hare International Airpo

Type: ROUTINE INSPECTION

Date: 18-OCT-2022

3.14(c)

Consignments to carriers and intermediate handlers.

Six puppies traveled on Turkish Airlines flight TK 185 from Istanbul, Turkey to Chicago O'Hare (ORD) on 8/8/22. The six puppies were transported in two kennels. The Turkish Airlines (TK) representative was asked if either transport kennel had a certification attached to it indicating the puppies were offered food and water during the four hours prior to delivery to the carrier. The TK representative indicated neither kennel had a certification attached. A certification must be attached to the transport kennels of dogs and cats and must contain the following: the consignor's name and address, time, and date the animal was last offered food and water, specific instructions for the next feedings and waterings in a 24-hour period, the consignor's signature and the date and time the certification was signed. The absence of this certification on the transport enclosure does not establish a timeline of when the feeding and watering of the puppies should occur. It is the responsibility of the carrier and intermediate handlers to ensure a certification containing the required information as set forth in this section is securely attached to the outside of the transport enclosure in a manner that makes it easily readable and noticed.

3.15(f)(3)

Primary enclosures used to transport live dogs and cats.

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**On 8-August-2022 Turkish Airlines transported 6 Boseron puppies on Flight 185 to O'Hare airport in Chicago as checked baggage. The puppies with a birth date of 03/28/2022 were transported in 2 separate carriers each containing 3 puppies. It is the responsibility of the airline to ensure that no more than 2 puppies between the ages of 8 weeks and 6 months, weighing 20 pounds or less are transported in the same primary enclosure to provide sufficient space allowing for normal postural movements.

3.17(a)

Food and water requirements.

Six puppies traveled on Turkish Airlines flight TK 185 from Istanbul, Turkey to Chicago O'Hare (ORD) on 8/8/22. The flight time was almost 12 hours when the aircraft arrived at 10:30 am at Chicago O'Hare per the Turkish Airlines representative. The puppies were not offered water for the duration of the flight as they traveled in the cargo hold of the Turkish Airlines aircraft. The Turkish Airlines (TK) representative was specifically asked what time the puppies had been offered water after their arrival at O'Hare (ORD). The Turkish Airlines (TK) representative indicated the puppies had been offered water just prior to 12:00 pm. According to this timeline, the puppies had not been offered water for approximately 13.5 hours. Inadequate access to water could result in the animals becoming dehydrated during transport. All dogs and cats must be offered potable water at least once every 12 hours.

3.17(c)

Food and water requirements.

**On 8-August-2022 Turkish Airlines transported 6 Boseron puppies on Flight 185 to O'Hare airport in Chicago as checked baggage. At O'Hare, it was discovered that one of the primary enclosures used to transport the puppies did not have food and water receptacles attached.

It is the responsibility of the airline to ensure that food and water receptacles are securely attached inside the primary enclosure to allow access to food and water during transport without opening the door as set forth in this section.

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**Unable to contact airline representative to conduct the exit interview.

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