

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

**EKARR** INS-0000882361

### **Inspection Report**

Customer ID: 6003495 TRIANGLE AVIATION SERVICES, INC. 10 FIFTH ST, SUITE 200 VALLEY STREAM, NY 11581

Certificate: 21-H-0351 Site: BOS

TRIANGLE AVIATION SERVICES.

INC.

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION

Date: 26-JUL-2023

### 3.14(d)

### Consignments to carriers and intermediate handlers.

On July 26th, 2023, two black and white French bulldogs were transported from an airline office by the intermediate handler to be loaded onto Copa Airlines flight #705. These dogs had been held in the office overnight, and an airline representative provided primary enclosures for the dogs' transport in cargo. On discussion with representatives of the intermediate handler, the primary enclosures had solid bottoms and did not contain any litter material. Intermediate handlers must not accept a dog for transport in commerce in a primary enclosure unless the primary enclosure meets the requirements of section 3.15 of the animal welfare act, including the requirement under 3.15(a)(9) for sufficient amounts of absorbent litter.

The intermediate handler must ensure that dogs contained in primary enclosures that do not meet the requirements of section 3.15 of the AWAR, or otherwise cannot be reasonably expected to safely and comfortably contain the dog, are not accepted for transport.

### 3.17(c)

#### Food and water requirements.

On July 26th, 2023, two black and white French bulldogs were transported from an airline office by the intermediate handler to be loaded onto Copa Airlines flight #705. These dogs had been held in the office overnight, and an airline representative provided primary enclosures for the dogs' transport in cargo. On discussion with a representative of the intermediate handler, they stated that while food and water was provided prior to departure, there were no food and water receptacles securely attached inside the enclosures. Food and water receptacles must be attached to a transport enclosure to ensure the animal has access to food and water while being transported; lack of access to food and water while in transit can be hazardous to the animals' health.

Primary enclosures used to transport dogs must have food and water receptacles securely attached inside the primary enclosure and placed so that they can be filled from outside the enclosure without opening the door.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with a facility representative.

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# **Species Inspected**

Cust No	Cert No	Site	Site Name	Inspection
6003495	21-H-0351	BOS	TRIANGLE AVIATION SERVICES, INC.	26-JUL-2023

CountScientific NameCommon Name000002Canis familiarisDOG ADULT

000002 **Total**