

United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

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Inspection Report

Qatar Airways Cargo 350 5th Ave., Ste 7630 Manhattan, NY 10118 Customer ID: 41666

Certificate: 21-T-0097

Site: IAD

Qatar Airways Cargo - IAD Dulles

International Airport

Type: FOCUSED INSPECTION

Date: 03-JUL-2024

2.77(b)

Records: Carriers and intermediate handlers.

Qatar Airways could not provide the health certificates for dogs and cats transported in commerce. The Qatar Airways representative stated that they do not routinely keep copies of the health certificates for dogs and cats transported as excess baggage. Accepting carriers and intermediate handlers shall keep and maintain a copy of the health certificate for dogs and cats transported and delivered in commerce. Correct by 07/31/2024.

3.15(f)(1)

Primary enclosures used to transport live dogs and cats.

Multiple shipments of cats and dogs have been transported from Kuwait, Afghanistan to Dulles International Airport (IAD) from October 2023 - July 2024 on Flight QR707/QR709, as excess baggage. According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) officers that inspect the shipments upon arrival at IAD, most of the crates the animals were transported in contained 2-4 cats or 2 dogs adult aged or over the age of 6 months.

- On 09/27/23 Fifty-nine (59) cats were imported for adoption and arrived with 2-4 adult cats per transport carrier.
- On 10/18/23 Forty-three (43) cats were imported for adoption arrived with 2-3 adult cats per transport carrier.
- On 05/01/24 32 cats were imported for adoption arrived with 2-3 adult cats per transport carrier.
- On 05/06/24 Thirty (30) cats were imported for adoption. Three carriers contained 3 adult cats per carrier. Two of the cats in one carrier were entangled in the plastic absorbent pad.
- On 07/08/24 Fifteen (15) cats were imported for adoption arrived 2-3 per crate. Four (4) adult dogs were imported for adoption and arrived with 2 dogs per crate.

No more than one live dog or cat 6 months of age or older, may be transported in the same crate when shipped by airplane. Correct by 07/31/2024.

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Food and water requirements.

On 14 February 2024, one male dog, "Chico" (microchip # 99000007942934) arrived from Kuwait on Qatar Airways Flight QR707. Upon arrival, the CDC Officers noticed that dog's crate had an empty water bottle zip tied upside down to the outside of the crate and one empty bowl inside the crate. There should be both a food and a water bowl securely attached to the inside of a transport carrier. Food and water receptacles must be securely attached to the inside of the transport enclosure and placed so that the receptacles can be filled from the outside of the enclosure without opening the door. Correct by 07/31/2024.

This inspection and exit interview were conducted with the airline representative.

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CountScientific NameCommon Name000005Canis familiarisDOG ADULT000179Felis catusCAT ADULT

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