

Incident 1

Carrier: Alaska Airlines
Flight: 19 (Orlando/Seattle)
Date of incident: April 16, 2010
Time of incident: Approximately 5:45 P.M. ET

Description of animal (including name): A dog (Unknown: Name, breed, sex, or age)

Narrative description of incident: Preflight in Orlando, Florida ramp personnel found that a dog had escaped its kennel, by chewing a hole and jumping out. The dog was captured and was returned planeside, with scratches to its mouth and head as a result of chewing through and jumping out of the small opening. The customer was immediately advised and that his dog's kennel was no longer suitable for travel and the passenger and dog were rebooked to travel the next day.

Narrative description of the cause of the incident: A dog departing Orlando, Florida chewed through kennel and escaped through that hole in kennel, the dog was captured and returned planeside preflight.

Narrative description of any corrective action taken in response to the incident:
No action required.

No photographs available

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AMERICAN AIRLINES / APRIL, 2010

DOT PET INCIDENT REPORT

Carrier and Flight Number

AA1789

Date and Time of the Incident

April 1, 2010; approximately 14:45

Description of the Animal, Including Name

English Bulldog, Tyler

Narrative Description of Incident

Eric Clark/AA Agent accepted the dog on air waybill 28911046. The English bulldog appeared to be healthy and was acting normal at acceptance. When the Set-up Crew was preparing to plan the shipment for the connecting flight, the CSM observed the dog was having great difficulty breathing. The temperature was 69F. A call was made to the Shipper to inquire if the dog had been sedated, or had health issues. The Shipper advised that he did not have health issues and was not sedated, and asked to "hose him down". We explained we did not do that. AA then made a decision to transport the animal to VCA animal Hospital in Irving, TX; however, the animal died in route. A necropsy was performed but the report is not available yet.

Narrative Description of Cause of the Incident

Unknown

Narrative Description of any Corrective Action Taken in Response to Incident

None

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AMERICAN AIRLINES / April 2010

DOT PET INCIDENT REPORT

Carrier and Flight Number

AA 84

Date and Time of the Incident

27 April 2010

Description of the Animal, Including Name

American Bulldog (Canine), P-Kay

Narrative Description of Incident

Ramp personnel were off-loading the kennel and found that the canine was deceased. FRA personnel arranged to have the pet transported to a local vet for a necropsy. No visible trauma was evident at the time the kennel was off-loaded. All ventilation in the compartment where the pet was located was operational during the flight.

Narrative Description of Cause of the Incident

The necropsy results are not finalized from the veterinary office in Germany at this time.

Narrative Description of any Corrective Action Taken in Response to Incident

No corrective action is necessary.

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AMERICAN EAGLE / APRIL, 2010

DOT PET INCIDENT REPORT

Carrier and Flight Number

AA3487

Date and Time of the Incident

April 30, 2010; approximately 1340

Description of the Animal, Including Name

Brown and white English Bulldog, Matilda (Female)

Narrative Description of Incident

Dog appeared healthy with no issues; however, the AA Agent in FAT called and stated the animal had died in transit. The animal was taken to a vet. A necropsy was performed but the report is not available yet.

Narrative Description of Cause of the Incident

Unknown

Narrative Description of any Corrective Action Taken in Response to Incident

None

**Delta Air Lines
Live Animal Incident Report – Redacted
Reporting Period:**

Carrier & Flight Number:

Delta Air Lines, DL33 (AMM to JFK)

Date and Time of Incident

02 April 2010, 06:00

Description of Animal

Grindell, 2 Yr Female, French Bulldog.

Description of Incident:

While unloading three animal kennels, the agent noticed that this pet was not moving or responding to the kennel movement. The pet was determined to have expired during transportation. The passenger was contacted and permission obtained to have a local vet perform a necropsy.

Cause of Incident:

A necropsy was performed at Delta's expense by Vetport JFK on 03 April 2010. The vet indicated that the tissue samples exhibited moderate autolytic change which obscured tissue detail and limited evaluation. No cause of death could be determined from the necropsy findings. The pets in two other kennels arrived without incident. The pets were loaded correctly in AMM. The aircraft HVAC system functioned properly.

Corrective Action Taken:

No corrective action taken.

Delta Air Lines

Live Animal Incident Report (Redacted)

Cargo Incident Report	
Type:	Death
Date of Incident:	April 9, 2010
Location:	Atlanta, GA
Routing:	San Diego - Atlanta, Delta Flight 1048
AWB:	006-19200731
Description of Animal:	5yr old, apprx 20lbs French Bulldog, named "Maggie"
Description of Incident:	Maggie was accepted for travel on DL1048 from SAN at 2019, Friday, April 9, 2010. All Delta's live animal acceptance procedures were followed. Flight 1048 departed SAN on-time at 2254. At the time of departure, the local temperature in SAN was 60F and upon arrival into ATL, the temperature was 47F, well below the established temperature limits. As agents were unloading the aircraft, Maggie was unfortunately discovered deceased inside her container.
Cause of Incident:	<p>A necropsy was performed by Athens Diagnostic Laboratory College of Medicine at the University of Georgia. The diagnosis was a "preexisting enteric" disease. The DVM noted the presence of alveolar histiocytosis that suggests subacute to chronic pulmonary edema and changes in the intestine.</p> <p>Also on board DL1048 was one other personal pet that arrived safely and without incident.</p>
Corrective Action Taken:	None warranted due to preexisting condition

Delta Air Lines

Live Animal Incident Report (Redacted)

Cargo Incident Report	
Type:	Death
Date of Incident:	April 16, 2010
Location:	Atlanta, GA
Routing:	San Francisco - Atlanta, Delta Flight 1074
AWB:	006-00284281
Description of Animal:	2yr old English Bulldog, named "Fat Boy"
Description of Incident:	Fat Boy was accepted for travel on DL1074 from SFO at 2041, Friday, April 16, 2010. All Delta's live animal acceptance procedures were followed. Flight 1074 departed SFO on-time at 2245. At the time of departure, the local temperature in SFO was 52F and upon arrival into ATL, the temperature was 61F, well below the established temperature limits. As agents were unloading the aircraft, Fat Boy was unfortunately discovered deceased inside his container.
Cause of Incident:	<p>A necropsy was performed by Athens Diagnostic Laboratory College of Medicine at the University of Georgia. The cause of death could not be determined. The DVM noted, "although the numerous bacteria in the lungs were at least partly due to postmortem overgrowth, perimortem aspiration is considered likely."</p> <p>On board DL1074 were four other live animals that arrived safely and without incident.</p>
Corrective Action Taken:	None warranted