

Carrier:

American Airlines

Flight Number:

1091

Date & Time of Incident:

01/30/2020

Type of Incident:

Injury

Description of Animal:

Breed: Labrador Retriever

Animal Name:

Tamara

Description of Incident:

Upon arrival on flight 1091, the dog was found loose in the belly of the A/C. The dog had chewed through the kennel and came out of the kennel. There was lots of blood on the outside of the kennel and the inside as well. I could not see any cuts on the face or paws. I am not sure if the blood was coming from her gums or tongue. I helped retrieve the dog from the belly of the A/C and I then brought the dog back to cargo. The dog was taken to the vet for a follow-up. I am waiting for confirmation on the status of the dog.

Cause of Incident:

The animal was taken to Animal Hospital. The dog had bitten through her travel crate lacerating her tongue and gingival areas of the oral cavity. Xrays were taken. Antibiotics were given and release on 1/31/2020

Corrective Action Taken:

N/A

Carrier:

American Airlines

Flight Number:

371

Date & Time of Incident:

01/27/2020 12:00 AM

Type of Incident:

Injury

Description of Animal:

Breed: Rhodesian Ridgeback

Animal Name:

Bonita

Description of Incident:

Dog arrived on the morning of 27th Jan from HNL, the dog was planned stop for comfort stop. The dog was returned at approx. 1234pm/27th Jan, the dog was in the kennel and it was not bleeding at that time per the acceptance clerk. At approx. 1448 we received a call from Ramp MOD and was advised that the dog was bleeding. We recovered the dog and transported it to the Vet approx. 1545/1600.

Cause of Incident:

Vets finding - 01-27-2020 6:22:59pm, Overall, the dog does not appear young or particularly thrifty, but a source for the bleeding has not been found. Recommended bloodwork, coags and overnight observation. If her labs are normal and the bleeding does not reoccur, she should be able to return to boarding or continue her travels. Otherwise, will plan to pick up tomorrow morning. Animal completed travel on 1-28-2020

Corrective Action Taken:

N/A

Carrier:

American Airlines

Flight Number:

1362

Date & Time of Incident:

02/20/2020 12:00 AM

Type of Incident:

Death

Description of Animal:

Breed: Other

Animal Name:

Gina

Description of Incident:

Upon opening of the forward cargo compartment door, animal was found unresponsive in their kennel.

Cause of Incident:

Unknown at this time awaiting Necropsy.

Corrective Action Taken:

Carrier:

American Airlines

Flight Number:

1254

Date & Time of Incident:

04/03/2020 12:00 AM

Type of Incident:

Injury

Description of Animal:

Breed: Labrador Retriever

Animal Name:

Olimpia

Description of Incident:

The animal was tendered in good condition. When the driver was dropping off animal at the outbound gate, he noticed blood in the cart and on the kennel. He called the PPS crew chief who in turn informed me. I went out to investigate and notice quite a bit of blood on the backside of the kennel, with gashes that made me believe the animal tried to claw its way out. I can't confirm or speculate where all the blood came from.

Cause of Incident:

No issues seen before departing the PPS facility, It appears that it was clawing or gnawing at the kennel and injured itself, drawing blood. The animal defecated in the kennel. The animal was returned back to the PPS facility, where the owner was contacted and refused medical care and made arrangements to pick up the animal.

Corrective Action Taken:

UNK

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American Airlines

Flight Number:

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Date & Time of Incident:

12/19/2020 12:00 AM

Type of Incident:

Death

Description of Animal:

Breed: Pomeranian

Animal Name:

Banjo

Description of Incident:

On Saturday, December 19, 2020, 06:56 CST, one Pomeranian dog (Banjo) and two Domestic Short Hair cats, were dropped off by Lawanna Watson at the American Airlines Ticket Counter in Little Rock, AR (LIT), for air transport under air waybill 001-35362084. They were scheduled to travel to Honolulu, HI (HNL), with a connection in Dallas-Fort Worth, TX (DFW), flights AA3656/19-Dec LIT-DFW (etd 08:00 eta 09:31) and AA0005/19-Dec DFW-HNL (etd 11:15 eta 16:03). At approximately 15:47 (HST), notification was received that the dog arrived at Honolulu, HI (HNL) unresponsive and presumed deceased. The dog was transported to the Hawaii Department of Agriculture Animal Quarantine Station for medical assessment, where it was pronounced deceased. The dog's owner, India Nelson was notified and briefed of the situation. The deceased dog's remains were appropriately packaged and transported to Dallas/Fort Worth, TX (DFW), (flight AA109/19 HNLDFW) for necropsy services. The dog's remains were transferred to the Animal Emergency Hospital in Southlake, TX to complete the necropsy.

Cause of Incident:

Necropsy results revealed pulmonary edema fluid accumulation in the lungs could be related to primary heart disease. Potential underlying heart condition

Corrective Action Taken:

Owners approved of necropsy and have been provided results. Additional tissue testing was offered but declined by owner. Remains were cremated and sent to owners address in HI