

Incident 1

Carrier: Alaska Airlines
Flight: 67(SEA/KTN)
Date of incident: January 7, 2008
Time of incident: Approximately 5:10 P.M.

Description of animal (including name): Dog (Unknown: breed, name, sex, age of pet)

Narrative description of incident: Upon opening the aircraft pit, Ketchikan ramp personnel found that Ms. Smith's dog had passed away. It is not clear at what point the animal perished while in the airline's custody.

Narrative description of the cause of the incident: A dog arrived deceased in Ketchikan. This appears to be a natural death. There is no evidence to suggest that the airline's handling contributed to the animal's condition in any way.

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

No photographs available

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DOT PET INCIDENT REPORT

Carrier and Flight Number

American Airlines Flight #1480 (SJU-MCO)

Date and Time of the Incident

14 JAN 2008 at approximately 6:08pm

Description of the Animal, Including Name

Pug named Puji

Narrative Description of Incident

Dog was deceased upon arrival of flight 1480 in MCO.

Narrative Description of Cause of the Incident

Necropsy results were neutral and suggest that a pre-existing condition may have attributed to the animals death. The owner had checked a 2nd pug which traveled in the same compartment and arrived safely.

Narrative Description of any Corrective Action Taken in Response to Incident

None.

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DOT PET INCIDENT REPORT

Carrier and Flight Number

American Airlines Flight 30

Date and Time of the Incident

January 16, 2008 at 0758

Description of the Animal, Including Name

Male, black and white French Bulldog, 30 pounds, 2 years old named Biggie

Narrative Description of Incident

The dog flew from LAX to JFK and upon arrival was not moving. He was taken to JFK Vetport where he was pronounced dead.

Narrative Description of Cause of the Incident

Cause unknown and the owner refused to have a necropsy performed. All systems on the aircraft were functioning properly and the flight was not delayed.

Narrative Description of any Corrective Action Taken in Response to Incident

None since the cause of death could not be determined.

LIVE ANIMAL INCIDENT REPORT – REDACTED

Cargo Incident Report #	0108-1
Type:	Death
Date of Incident:	January 10, 2008
Location:	MSP
Routing:	NW 2809 ORF – MSP NW 807 MSP – SEA
AWB:	012 ORF 40900182
Description of Animal:	American shorthair cat, name unknown
Description of Incident:	The shipment was comprised of two adult pet cats in separate kennels. On arrival at MSP one of the cats appeared to be deceased. The cat was immediately removed from transport and delivered to a veterinary hospital where it was confirmed deceased. The shipper was notified and she advised NW that the cat “seemed to be ill this morning but the vet felt it was OK to travel.” The other cat was forwarded on to the consignee and arrived without incident.
Cause of the Incident:	A necropsy was performed at NW expense by the University of Minnesota Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory. According to the necropsy report, “The cause of death was most likely cardiovascular arrest secondary to hypertrophic cardiomyopathy. Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy tends to predominate in young to middle-aged cats (1-3 years). There are clusters of cases of hypertrophic cardiomyopathy in Persian, American shorthairs and Maine coon cat breeds.”
Corrective Action Taken:	None. The cat died of natural causes. The companion cat arrived safely.