

Pets and Registering Dogs





PETS

Service personnel on permanent assignment to LANDCOM are allowed to take their pet (s) along with them for their assignment. However, it is recommended that single and unaccompanied personnel do not take any pets with them as there is a "no pet policy" in LANDCOM HQ where you will be working and your accommodation is not within walking distance. For more information on the importation of pets into Turkey, please visit your vet in the first instance to gain further information and also defra.gov.uk, http://www.turkishairlines.com/en-int/travel-information/baggage/pets or email specialcargo@thy.com. Please see Annex D for more information.

TURKISH AIRLINES PET POLICY

Turkish Airlines requires that your pet be accompanied by a certificate of good health, and that your dog or cat is transported in an approved pet carrier or cargo crate. Your veterinarian will be certifying that your pet is healthy enough to travel and is free of diseases communicable to humans. Turkish Airlines also requires that you provide copies of the veterinary certificates and other documents required by the country to which you are travelling.

During periods of very cold weather, an acclimation certificate may also be required for pets traveling in cargo. On most airlines, pets are not accepted for transport in the cargo section of the airline when the ground temperature is below 45 degrees Fahrenheit (8 degrees Celsius) at any location on the itinerary unless your dog or cat has a veterinarian's statement of low temperature acclimation (Acclimation Certificate). All instructions and Turkish Airlines pet policies are verified at the time of order. Requirements to fly your dog or cat with Turkish Airlines are included. Enforcement may not be consistent at every airport and having proper documentation will better ensure that no problems will arise during your travels.

http://www.turkishairlines.com/en-int/travel-information/baggage/pets

The staff at Turkish Cargo are qualified and are experts in the carriage of live animals. In addition to working to IATA rules, they have current information about foreign countries' restriction rules and law enforcement. Turkish Cargo gives incentive care to animals and provides a suitable environment to transport them safely from origin to destination. For detailed information on the domestic transportation of live animals, please contact the following e-mail address: specialcargo@thy.com

Dogs: According to Article 14, paragraph (L) of the Protection of Animals Law No. 5199, dated 24.06.2004, "The production, possession, introduction to country, sales, advertising, bartering, exhibition, and presenting as a gift dangerous animal like Pit-bull Terriers and Japanese Tosas is forbidden." Aggressive dogs, which cannot be intervened with in emergency cases, include the following:



- Pitbull Terrier,
- American Pitbull Terrier,
- Bull Terrier,
- American Staffordshire Terrier,
- Japanese Tosa,
- Dogo Argentino,
- Fila Brasileiro,
- Rottweiller.
- Staffordshire Bull Terrier,
- Neopolitan Mastiff,
- Spanish Mastiff,
- Dogue De Bordeux,
- Roman Fighting Dog,
- Bandog,
- Tosa Inu,
- Mastiff,
- Tibetan Mastiff
- And they are not accepted as cargo on our flights.

Two adult animals accustomed to living together, each weighing up 14 kg and of comparable size, can be transported in a single cage/container. Animals weighing over 14 kg should be transported in separate cages/containers.

Three animals from the same delivery, of ages up to six months, can be transported in the same container/compartment.

Sedated or otherwise medicated animals pose a significant risk because their reactions to stress caused by transportation may be unpredictable. They may also need a veterinarian's supervision for an emergency response. As the medications for sedating these animals, or anesthetic dart weapons, are forbidden in the aircraft, these animals are not accepted.