

IMPORTANT NOTICES

VIRGIN ATLANTIC AIRWAYS, CARRIAGE OF PETS

While every effort is made to ensure that your pet travels safely and comfortably, Virgin Atlantic Airways ("Virgin") and its agents, cannot under any circumstances accept liability or responsibility for death through natural causes while your pet is in our custody. Pets must not be sedated before flight, and Virgin reserves the right to refuse carriage if it believes this requirement has not been complied with.

The following conditions which must be read in conjunction with Virgin's General Conditions of Carriage for Cargo (available on request) will also apply to the carriage of your pet:

1. The shipper and/or pet owner remains responsible for complying with all applicable laws and regulations governing the carriage of pets in the country of origin and destination, including compliance with the applicable regulations governing the packing, carriage or delivery of the pet. Virgin is not liable for the shipper's and/or pet owner's failure to comply with this provision.
2. PROHIBITIONS
Dog breeds that fall within the list published in the UK Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 (per the list on the back) and all cross breeds where part of the breed is from the prohibited list, will be refused carriage by Virgin. Virgin reserves the right to refuse carriage if it believes that the dog is a cross breed from the prohibited list despite its description in the PETS certificate. While pug or snub nosed dogs and cats are refused carriage (see the list on the back), nevertheless Virgin agrees to carry cross-breeds where part of the parentage of the pet is from the pug or snub nosed list, and the remainder of the parentage is from some other breed that is not pug or snub nosed. The shipper and/or pet owner acknowledges that if the pet in question falls into this category, he/she agrees that they can be carried as normal. Savannah cats are not eligible to enter the UK under the Pet Travel Scheme. They are listed under the Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976 and require a licence to enter the UK. They must also undertake 6 months quarantine on arrival.
Bengal cats are eligible to travel under the PET Travel Scheme only if they have an accompanying pedigree certificate to prove they are F5 Bengal or beyond. For more information on this please speak to DEFRA.
3. Virgin Atlantic reserves the right to inspect the packaging or shipping container used, and to refuse carriage if the packaging or container does not comply with the regulations governing the carriage of live animals.
4. The shipper and/or pet owner undertakes to indemnify and reimburse Virgin against all damage or penalties suffered by or imposed on Virgin, by reason of the irregularity, incorrectness or incompleteness of any particulars or documents furnished to Virgin, or for the shipper's and/or pet owner's failure to comply with the applicable regulations governing the carriage of live animals, including the carriage of dogs in contravention of the regulations contained in the UK Dangerous Dogs Act 1991.
5. The shipper and/or pet owner undertakes to indemnify and reimburse Virgin upon request for all expenses incurred in ensuring the well being of the pet during the course of the pet's carriage by air.
6. The shipper and/or pet owner undertakes to discharge in full upon request all expenses, taxes and/or fees incurred by Virgin or its agents relating to the pet's carriage by air until final delivery.

UK Dangerous Dogs Act 1991

The following breeds of dogs, either pure or crossbred, will not be accepted for carriage as they fall under the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991.

- Pit Bull Terrier (Including the American Pit Bull Terrier or pit bull types)
- American Staffordshire Terrier
- Dogo Argentino
- Japanese Tosa
- Fila Brasileiro

UK Dangerous Wild Animals Act 1976

Savannah cats are listed under the above Act. They will require a licence to enter the UK and will have to undertake 6 months quarantine.

This list may not be exhaustive and Virgin reserve the right to amend the list without notice.

Pug or snub nosed dogs and cats:

Virgin Atlantic Cargo reserves the right to refuse carriage of certain breeds. The following breeds of animals have been identified as pug or snub nosed and will not be accepted for carriage on Virgin Atlantic.

Dogs:

- All pugs
- Boston terrier
- Brussels Griffon
- English Toy Spaniel
- Japanese Spaniel (Chin)
- Pekingese
- English Bulldog
- French Bulldog
- Shih Tzu

Cats:

- Himalayan
- Persians

Breeds that are crossed with snub or pug nosed breeds may be accepted for carriage on Virgin Atlantic.

Virgin Atlantic Airways will also refuse the carriage of the following dogs

- Boerboel
- Bully Cutter (Kutta)

I have read the above Conditions and I accept them accordingly.

AWB: 932-.....

Date: (dd/mm/yy)/...../.....

Shipper's name:.....

Signed:.....