Snub-nosed animals

Snub-nosed dogs and cats are not hot-weather animals and have difficulty in regulating a normal body temperature in hot weather. Therefore, these animals are very sensitive to heat and suffer from respiratory and breeding problems; these respiratory problems can be increased under high-stress situations.

As a precaution, AEGEAN and Olympic Air will not accept them as checked baggage or air cargo due to their inability to breathe easily and cool themselves down.

The following embargo list of brachycephalic breeds is applicable on AEGEAN and Olympic Air flights:

Dogs

- American Bully
- Cavalier king Charles Spaniel
- Pinscher
- Boston Terrier
- Affenpinscher
- Boxer (All breeds)
- Brussels Griffon
- Bulldog (All breeds)
- Cane Corso
- Chow Chow
- Dogue De Bordeaux
- English Toy Spaniel (King Charles Spaniel)
- Japanese Spaniel (Chin)
- Lhasa Apso
- Mastiff (All breeds)
- Pekingese
- Pit Bull
- Presa Canario
- Pug (All breeds)
- Staffordshire Bull Terrier
- Shar Pei
- Shih Tzu
- Tibetan Spaniel
- American Staffordshire Terrier
- Any mixed breed of above breeds of dog or their hybrid

**Cats**

- Scottish Straight
- Selkirk Rex
- American shorthair
- American Longhair
- Burmese
- Exotic
- Himalayan
- Persian
- British Shorthair
- Scottish Fold
- British Longhair

**Other breeds**

For the following breeds, **not accepted neither in cabin or in baggage hold**, please contact the Cargo Department for further information and/or clarifications:

- Bandog
- Caucasian ovcharka
- Dogo Argentino
- Fila Brazileiros
- Japanese Tosa
- Karabash
- Mastino Napoletano
- Rottweiler
- Tosa Inu
- Doberman Pinscher/Doberman