

I would like to thank the FAA for taking prompt action to initiate the new requirements, which passed Congress this April, to require documentation of any and all mishandling of live animals transported by airlines. This is not just a good thing for the animals, it is a very vital system of 'checks and balances' that will hold the airlines individually responsible for their actions, or lack of actions. This docket, however, should contain language to include each and every animal transported, not just those whom are owned by Americans. The same rights and regulations should apply to each and every animal that the airlines take responsibility for.