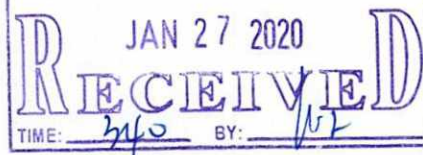




Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation

LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING & REGULATORY BOARD CENTER
OFFICE of the NATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER
Administrative Rules and Regulations
East Avenue, Quezon City



**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NUMBER 2020- 003**

**SUBJECT : SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDELINES ON THE POLICY
ALLOWING PET ANIMALS INSIDE PUBLIC UTILITY
VEHICLES PROVIDED UNDER MEMORANDUM CIRULAR
NO. 2019-019**

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2019, the Board, pursuant to its power to promulgate, administer, and enforce rules and regulations on land transportation services has issued Memorandum Circular No. 2019-019;

WHEREAS, the above Memorandum Circular has allowed pet animals to be transported on a public utility vehicles with a qualification provided in item No. 1, wherein:

“1. These animals must be put inside carriers/cages and placed at the designated animal compartment of the PUV, should there be other passengers inside the PUV.”

WHEREAS, the above policy particularly on carriers/cages to be placed at the designated animal compartment xxx has received negative reactions from several animal advocates;

WHEREAS, the primordial concern of the Board in including the above provision is the safety and convenience of other passengers of mass transportation, without however, taking into consideration that the design of our existing mass transportation has no designated animal compartment with proper ventilation;

NOW THEREFORE, the Board weighing the issues and concerns of both ordinary commuters and animal lover passengers, **RESOLVES** as it hereby **RESOLVED**, to **ALLOW** pet animals, (such as cats and dogs) to be loaded/transported on public utility vehicles, under the following guidelines aside from the conditions already stipulated in Memorandum Circular No. 2019-019:

1. If pet animals are to be loaded on mass transport such as PUB, PUJ, UV Express service and Premium Point -to- Point (P2P) Bus service, without having to compromise safety, health issues and convenience of other passengers, said pet animals must be put in a cage/animal carrier free from foul odor;

2. Passenger-owner must see to it that pets must wear animal diaper to maintain cleanliness and sanitation at all times during the journey;

3. Dog sizes allowed in PUVs must be from the range of small to medium sized dogs. Those large and giant dogs shall not be allowed. List of dogs with their corresponding size is annexed hereof;

4. Pets placed inside a carrier/cage must be beside the passenger-owner and must pay the corresponding fare in an amount the same as that of the paying passenger-owner per seat occupied.

This Memorandum Circular supersedes any and all issuances inconsistent herewith and shall be effective fifteen (15) days following the filing of three (3) copies hereof with the UP Law Center pursuant to Presidential Memorandum Circular No. 11 dated 09 October 1992.

SO ORDERED.

Quezon City, Philippines. 27 JAN 2020

EFFECTIVITY
DATE: 10 FEB 2020

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Chairman

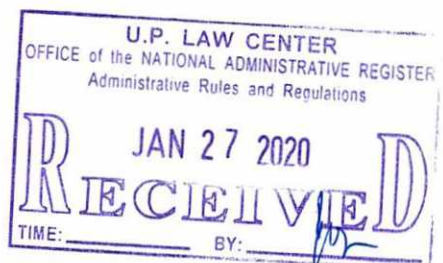


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Board Member

Attested by:

Renwick R. Rutaquio
COL. RENWICK R. RUTAQUIO (Ret.)
Regional Director/OIC-Executive Director



Annex:

Small or toy dog breeds (1-10 kg)—2 to 22 pounds

Medium dog breeds (11-26 kg)—24 to 57 pounds

Large dog breeds (27-44 kg)—59 to 98 pounds

Giant dog breeds (45 kg+)—99 pounds or more

Breed Weight Chart**Small**

Breed	Weight Male	Weight Female
Affenpinschers (S)	7-10 pounds	7-10 pounds
American Eskimo Dogs (S)	6-10 pounds (toy), 10-20 pounds (miniature), 25-35 pounds (standard)	6-10 pounds (toy), 10-20 pounds (miniature), 25-35 pounds (standard)
American Hairless Terriers (S)	12-16 pounds	12-16 pounds
Australian Terriers (S)	12-18 pounds	12-18 pounds
Beagles (S)	under 20 pounds (13 inches & under), 20-30 pounds (13-15 inches)	under 20 pounds (13 inches & under), 20-30 pounds (13-15 inches)
Bedlington Terriers (S-M)	17-23 pounds	17-23 pounds
Bichons Frises (S)	12-18 pounds	12-18 pounds
Border Terriers (S)	13-15.5 pounds	11.5-14 pounds
Boston Terriers (S-M)	12-25 pounds	12-25 pounds
Brussels Griffons (S)	8-10 pounds	8-10 pounds
Cairn Terriers (S)	14 pounds	13 pounds
Cane Corso *	Proportionate to height	Proportionate to height
Cavalier King Charles Spaniels (S)	13-18 pounds	13-18 pounds
Cesky Terriers (S-M)	14-24 pounds	14-24 pounds
Chihuahuas (S)	not exceeding 6 pounds	not exceeding 6 pounds
Chinese Crested (S)	8-12 pounds	8-12 pounds
Cirnechi dell'Etna (S-M)	22-26 pounds	17-22 pounds
Coton de Tulear (S)	9-15 pounds	8-13 pounds
Dachshunds (S)	16-32 pounds (standard), 11 pounds & under (miniature)	16-32 pounds (standard), 11 pounds & under (miniature)
Dandie Dinmont Terriers (S)	18-24 pounds	18-24 pounds

English Toy Spaniels (S)	8-14 pounds	8-14 pounds
Fox Terriers (Smooth) (S)	18 pounds in show condition	two pounds less than male
Fox Terriers (Wire) (S)	18 pounds in show condition	two pounds less than male
French Bulldogs (S-M)	under 28 pounds	under 28 pounds
Havanese (S)	7-13 pounds	7-13 pounds
Italian Greyhounds (S)	7-14 pounds	7-14 pounds
Japanese Chin (S)	7-11 pounds	7-11 pounds
Lakeland Terriers (S)	17 pounds	slightly smaller
Lhasa Apsos (S)	12-18 pounds	12-18 pounds
Lowchen (S)	15 pounds	15 pounds
Maltese (S)	under 7 pounds	under 7 pounds
Manchester Terriers (S)	under 12 pounds (toy), 12-22 pounds (standard)	under 12 pounds (toy), 12-22 pounds (standard)
Miniature American Shepherds (S-M)	20-40 pounds	20-40 pounds
Miniature Bull Terriers (S-M)	18-28 pounds	18-28 pounds
Miniature Pinschers (S)	8-10 pounds	8-10 pounds
Miniature Schnauzers (S)	11-20 pounds	11-20 pounds
Norfolk Terriers (S)	11-12 pounds	11-12 pounds
Norwegian Lundehunds (S-M)	20-30 pounds	20-30 pounds
Norwich Terriers (S)	12 pounds	12 pounds
Papillons (S)	5-10 pounds	5-10 pounds
Parson Russell Terriers (S)	13-17 pounds	13-17 pounds
Pekingese (S)	up to 14 pounds	up to 14 pounds
Pembroke Welsh Corgis (S-M)	up to 30 pounds	up to 28 pounds
Petits Bassets Griffons Vendeens (S-M)	25-40 pounds	25-40 pounds
Pomeranians (S)	3-7 pounds	3-7 pounds
Poodles (S)	4-6 pounds (toy), 10-15 pounds (miniature), 60-70 pounds (male standard)	4-6 pounds (toy), 10-15 pounds (miniature), 40-50 pounds (female standard)
Portuguese Podengo Pequenos (S)	9-13 pounds	9-13 pounds
Pugs (S)	14-18 pounds	14-18 pounds
Pyrenean Shepherds (S)	15-30 pounds	15-30 pounds

Rat Terriers (S-M)	10-25 pounds	10-25 pounds
Russell Terriers (S)	9-15 pounds	9-15 pounds
Schipperkes (S)	10-16 pounds	10-16 pounds
Scottish Terriers (S)	19-22 pounds	18-21 pounds
Sealyham Terriers (S-M)	23-24 pounds	slightly less
Shetland Sheepdogs (S)	15-25 pounds	15-25 pounds
Shih Tzu (S)	9-16 pounds	9-16 pounds
Silky Terriers (S)	around 10 pounds	around 10 pounds
Swedish Vallhunds (S-M)	20-35 pounds	20-35 pounds
Tibetan Terriers (S-M)	18-30 pounds	slightly smaller
Tibetan Spaniel (S)	9-15 pounds	9-15 pounds
Toy Fox Terriers (S)	3.5-7 pounds	3.5-7 pounds
Welsh Terriers (S)	20 pounds	proportionally smaller
West Highland White Terriers (S)	15-20 pounds	15-20 pounds
Xoloitzcuintli (S)	10-15 pounds (toy), 15-30 pounds (miniature), 30-55 pounds (standard)	10-15 pounds (toy), 15-30 pounds (miniature), 30-55 pounds (standard)
Yorkshire Terriers (S)	7 pounds	7 pounds

Medium

Breed	Weight Male	Weight Female
American English Coonhounds (M-L)	45-65 pounds	45-65 pounds
American Staffordshire Terriers (M-L)	55-70 pounds	40-55 pounds
Australian Cattle Dogs (M)	35-50 pounds	35-50 pounds
Australian Shepherds (M-L)	50-65 pounds	40-55 pounds
Basenjis (M)	24 pounds	22 pounds
Bearded Collies (M)	45-55 pounds	45-55 pounds
Belgian Sheepdogs (M-L)	55-75 pounds	45-60 pounds
Belgian Tervuren (M-L)	55-75 pounds	45-60 pounds
Berger Picards (M-L)	50-70 pounds	50-70 pounds
Bluetick Coonhounds (M-L)	55-80 pounds	45-65 pounds
Border Collies (M)	30-55 pounds	30-55 pounds

Briards (M-L)	55-100 pounds	55-100 pounds
Brittanys (M)	30-40 pounds	30-40 pounds
Bull Terriers (M-L)	50-70 pounds	50-70 pounds
Bulldogs (M)	50 pounds	40 pounds
Canaan Dogs (M)	45-55 pounds	35-45 pounds
Cardigan Welsh Corgis (M)	30-38 pounds	25-34 pounds
Chinese Shar-Pei (M-L)	45-60 pounds	45-60 pounds
Chow Chows (M-L)	45-70 pounds	45-70 pounds
Dalmatians (M)	45-70 pounds	45-70 pounds
Entlebucher Mountain Dogs (M-L)	55-65 pounds	55-65 pounds
Finnish Lapphunds (M)	33-53 pounds	33-53 pounds
Finnish Spitz (M)	25-33 pounds	20-28 pounds
German Pinschers (M)	25-45 pounds	25-45 pounds
Glen of Imaal Terriers (M)	32-40 pounds	32-40 pounds
Harriers (M-L)	45-60 pounds	45-60 pounds
Ibizan Hounds (M)	50 pounds	45 pounds
Icelandic Sheepdogs (M)	30 pounds	25 pounds
Irish Terriers (M)	27 pounds	25 pounds
Keeshonden (M)	35-45 pounds	35-45 pounds
Kerry Blue Terriers (M)	33-40 pounds	females weigh slightly less than males
Lagotti Romagnoli (M)	28.5-35 pounds	24-31 pounds
Norwegian Buhunds (M)	31-40 pounds	26-35 pounds
Norwegian Elkhounds (M)	55 pounds	48 pounds
Pharaoh Hounds (M)	45-55 pounds	45-55 pounds
Plotts (M-L)	50-60 pounds	40-55 pounds
Pointers (M-L)	55-75 pounds	45-65 pounds
Pointers (German Shorthaired) (M-L)	55-70 pounds	45-60 pounds
Pointers (German Wirehaired) (M-L)	50-70 pounds	50-70 pounds
Polish Lowland Sheepdogs (M)	30-50 pounds	30-50 pounds
Portuguese Water Dogs (M-L)	42-60 pounds	35-50 pounds

Pulik (M)	25-35 pounds	25-35 pounds
Pumik (M)	27-29 pounds	22-24 pounds
Redbone Coonhounds (M-L)	45-70 pounds	45-70 pounds
Retrievers (Nova Scotia Duck Tolling) (M)	35-50 pounds	35-50 pounds
Salukis (M-L)	40-65 pounds	40-65 pounds
Samoyeds (M-L)	45-65 pounds	35-50 pounds
Setters (Gordon) (M-L)	55-80 pounds	45-70 pounds
Setters (Irish Red and White) (M-L)	42-60 pounds	35-50 pounds
Shiba Inu (M)	23 pounds	17 pounds
Siberian Huskies (M-L)	45-60 pounds	35-50 pounds
Skye Terriers (M)	35-45 pounds	slightly lighter
Sloughis (M)	35-50 pounds	35-50 pounds
Soft Coated Wheaten Terriers (M)	35-40 pounds	30-35 pounds
Spaniels (American Water) (M)	30-45 pounds	25-40 pounds
Spaniels (Boykin) (M)	30-40 pounds	25-35 pounds
Spaniels (English Cocker) (M)	28-34 pounds	26-32 pounds
Spaniels (English Springer) (M)	50 pounds	40 pounds
Spaniels (Field) (M)	35-50 pounds	35-50 pounds
Spaniels (Irish Water) (M-L)	55-68 pounds	45-58 pounds
Spaniels (Sussex) (M)	35-45 pounds	35-45 pounds
Spaniels (Welsh Springer) (M)	40-55 pounds	35-50 pounds
Spanish Water Dogs (M)	40-49 pounds	31-40 pounds
Spinoni Italiani (M)	56 pounds	56 pounds
Staffordshire Bull Terriers (M)	28-38 pounds	24 to 34 pounds
Standard Schnauzers (M)	35-50 pounds	30-45 pounds
Treeing Walker Coonhounds (M-L)	50-70 pounds	50-70 pounds
Vizslas (M-L)	55-60 pounds	44-55 pounds
Whippets (M)	25-40 pounds	25-40 pounds
Wirehaired Pointing Griffons (M-L)	50-70 pounds	35 and 50 pounds
Wirehaired Vizslas (M-L)	55-65 pounds	45-55 pounds

Large

Breed	Weight Male	Weight Female
Afghan Hounds (L)	50-60 pounds	50-60 pounds
Airedale Terriers (L)	50-70 pounds	50-70 pounds
Alaskan Malamutes (L)	85 pounds	75 pounds
American Foxhounds (L)	65-70 pounds	60-65 pounds
Basset Hounds (L)	40-65 pounds	40-65 pounds
Beaucerons (L-G)	70-110 pounds	70-110 pounds
Belgian Malinois (L)	60-80 pounds	40-60 pounds
Bergamasco (L)	70-84 pounds	57-71 pounds
Bernese Mountain Dogs (L-G)	80-115 pounds	70-95 pounds
Black and Tan Coonhounds (L-G)	65-110 pounds	65-110 pounds
Black Russian Terriers (L-G)	80-130 pounds	80-130 pounds
Bloodhounds (L-G)	90-110 pounds	80-100 pounds
Borzoi (L-G)	75-105 pounds	60-85 pounds
Bouvier des Flandres (L-G)	70-110 pounds	70-110 pounds
Boxers (L)	65-80 pounds	15 pounds less than male
Bullmastiffs (L)	110-130 pounds	100-120 pounds
Chinooks (L)	55-90 pounds	50-65 pounds
Collies (L)	60-75 pounds	50-65 pounds
Doberman Pinschers (L-G)	75-100 pounds	60-90 pounds
English Foxhounds (L)	60-75 pounds	60-75 pounds
German Shepherd Dogs (L)	65-90 pounds	50-70 pounds
Giant Schnauzers (L)	60-85 pounds	55-75 pounds
Greyhounds (L)	65-70 pounds	60-65 pounds
Old English Sheepdogs (L-G)	60-100 pounds	60-100 pounds
Retrievers (Chesapeake Bay) (L)	65-80 pounds	55-70 pounds
Retrievers (Curly-Coated) (L)	60-95 pounds	60-95 pounds
Retrievers (Flat-Coated) (L)	60-70 pounds	60-70 pounds
Retrievers (Golden) (L)	65-75 pounds	55-65 pounds
Retrievers (Labrador) (L)	65-80 pounds	55-70 pounds
Rhodesian Ridgebacks (L)	85 pounds	70 pounds
Rottweilers (L-G)	95-135 pounds	80-100 pounds

Scottish Deerhounds (L-G)	85-110 pounds	75-95 pounds
Setters (English) (L)	65-80 pounds	45-55 pounds
Setters (Irish) (L)	70 pounds	60 pounds
Spaniels (Clumber) (L)	70-85 pounds	55-70 pounds
Tibetan Mastiffs (L-G)	90-150 pounds	70-120 pounds
Weimaraners (L)	70-90 pounds	55-75 pounds

Giant

Breed	Weight Male	Weight Female
Akitas (G)	100-130 pounds	70-100 pounds
Anatolian Shepherd Dogs (G)	110-150 pounds	80-120 pounds
Boerboels (G)	150-200 pounds	150-200 pounds
Dogues de Bordeaux (G)	110 pounds & up	99 pounds & up
Great Danes (G)	140-175 pounds	110-140 pounds
Great Pyrenees (G)	100 pounds & up	85 pounds & up
Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs (G)	115-140 pounds	85-110 pounds
Irish Wolfhounds (G)	120 pounds	105 pounds
Komondorok (G)	100 pounds or more	80 pounds or more
Kuvaszok (G)	100-115 pounds	70-90 pounds
Leonbergers (G)	110-170 pounds	90-140 pounds
Mastiffs (G)	160-230 pounds	120-170 pounds
Neapolitan Mastiffs (G)	150 pounds	110 pounds
Newfoundlands (G)	130-150 pounds	100-120 pounds
Otterhounds (G)	115 pounds	80 pounds
St. Bernards (G)	140-180 pounds	120-140 pounds

Source: (Staff, 2017)

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