

1. OBJECT

The present regulation aims to regulate the conditions of entry of dogs and cats (the cats in an appropriate carrier) in the MAR Shopping Algarve Meeting Place and to identify the obligations to which the guardians and/or persons responsible for them are subject. Henceforth, dogs and cats will be referred to as animals.

2. EXCLUSIONS

The rules and conditions set out in this Regulation in no way prejudice or affect the rules of access and movement established in the Portuguese legislation regarding assistance dogs (Dec-Law No. 74/2007, of March 27).

3. ENTRY OF ANIMALS

- **3.1.** Only dogs and cats are allowed, other animals are not allowed.
- **3.2.** Animals, accompanied by their owners, may enter the Meeting Place through any of the entrances.

3.3. In addition to the requirements set out in this Regulation, the animals' guardians and/or persons in charge will be responsible for complying with all legislation in force regarding pets.

4. CIRCULATION CONDITIONS

- **4.1.** Each customer may be accompanied by a maximum of 2 (two) animals during their visit to the Meeting Place.
- **4.2.** Animals may only circulate in the common areas of the Meeting Place (mall/corridor between stores, parking and parking accesses to the Meeting Place), excluding stores, baby changing rooms, children's, ladies and men's bathroom.
- **4.3.** The stores are managed by legal entities that are autonomous and independent from MAR Shopping Algarve, which may, at its own discretion, but without prejudice of what is stated in number 2 above, decide on the conditions of access and circulation of animals inside. The stores that allow the access of animals to their interior are identified through specific signs.

- **4.4.** Access between floors must, imperatively, be done exclusively through the elevators. Only one animal at a time may circulate in the elevators, except for cases in which the animals are accompanied by the same guardian (who may be accompanied by a maximum of two animals, see point 4.1 above). Animals may not circulate on the carpets and escalators, except for animals carried on the lap or in an appropriate carrier.
- **4.5.** Dogs must always circulate under the supervision of their guardians, using a non-extendable leash no longer than 1 meter (and muzzle when necessary and whenever required by the legislation in force), or in carts or bags suitable for their transportation.
- **4.6.** ABreeds considered as "potentially dangerous" and/or resulting from crossbreeding with them, under the terms of the legislation in force, namely and among others, Brazilian Cattle Dog, Dogue Argentino, Pit Bull Terrier, Rottweiler, American Staffordshire Terrier, Staffordshire Bull Terrier and Tosa Inu, in addition to the non-extendable leash and with a length not exceeding 1 meter, have the mandatory use of a muzzle.
- **4.7.** Cats must imperatively circulate in a carrier suitable for that purpose.
- **4.8.** The satisfaction of the animals' physiological needs inside the Meeting Place is expressly forbidden and, if it happens, the guardian must immediately clean up the waste and then inform the Meeting Place services Information Desk or members of the surveillance team so that the place can be cleaned.
- **4.9.** The Meeting Place provides free waste collection bags at the Information Desk and bins distributed outside the building.

5. EXCLUDED ANIMALS

- **5.1.** Animals that are visibly debilitated, ill or do not have the proper hygiene conditions are not allowed in the Meeting Place.
- **5.2.** Animals in heat are not allowed in the Meeting Place.
- **5.3.** Animals visibly or potentially aggressive are not allowed in the Meeting Place.
- **5.4.** MAR Shopping Algarve Meeting Place reserves the right to refuse entry to animals that represent a risk or present characteristics and/or conditions that jeopardize the normal and regular operation of the Meeting Place, as well as the comfort and safety of customers, tenants, employees and other animals.
- **5.5.** MAR Shopping Algarve Meeting Place, in situations it deems due and justified, reserves the

- right to ask the animal's tutor to put a muzzle and/or leash on the animal during the visit, made available free of charge by the Meeting Place, at the Information Desk, upon deposit of a deposit (20.00 euros).
- **5.6.** In accordance with Decree-Law 74/2007, of March 27, these exclusions do not apply to assistance dogs, and they are allowed to enter all areas of MAR Shopping Algarve.

6. EXCLUSION OF ANIMALS FROM THE SHOPPING MALL

- **6.1.** During the course of the animal's visit to the Meeting Place it may be asked to leave at any time, in case of failure to comply with any of the requirements and rules of this regulation.
- **6.2.** MAR Shopping Algarve reserves the right to proceed with the immediate exclusion of animals that disturb or threaten the safety and well-being of customers, both for behavioral, noise, health and hygiene reasons.

7. LIABILITY FOR DAMAGES

- **7.1.** The guardian and/or person responsible for the animal will be the sole and exclusive responsible for the compliance with all legislation related to pets, namely regarding registration, vaccination and mandatory insurance.
- **7.2.** The guardian and/or person in charge of the animal will be the sole and exclusive responsible for any damages and/or injuries caused by the animal, either to the space where it circulates, or to the Meeting Place stores, or to the clients and their assets.
- **7.3.** Under no circumstances will this responsibility or co-responsibility be transferred to MAR Shopping Algarve or to the companies involved, nor can it be concluded from the contents of the present Regulations that there is any transfer of responsibility or co-responsibility.
- **7.4.** If any doubtful situations are verified, either regarding the animal's behaviour or the behaviour of the responsible party/guardian, MAR Shopping Algarve Meeting Place may, at any time, demand the exit of the animal from the Meeting Place.

8. FINAL DISPOSITIONS

The entrance of the customer accompanied by pets (dog and/or cat) in the Meeting Place implies full knowledge and acceptance of this Regulation, as well as the criteria of MAR Shopping Algarve Meeting Place regarding the resolution of any issue arising from this regulation.

