

Dear Travel Trade Partner,

Gulf Air will not be accepting cardboard boxes of any size or dimension, due to high demand and to ensure that there is enough capacity in our aircraft for all our passengers' luggage.

This has come into place for all departures from/to London Heathrow to Pakistan, India, Bangladesh, Sri-lanka and Maldives via Bahrain until further notice.

Regular suitcases with a maximum dimension of 158cms for travel as outlined in our current policy will be accepted. No changes have been made to standard dimensions allowed for check in bags.

Any item of baggage exceeding 158cms but is less than 215cms shall be considered as 'Over Size' baggage and must be charged as an extra piece of baggage. 'Oversized' ancillary charge will be filed under sub-code 0ID 'Excess Size'.

Baggage exceeding the linear dimensions of 215cms shall not be accepted. Due to limited hold capacity, 'Out of Gauge' (OOG) baggage shall be carried in accordance with the above specified maximum linear dimensions only.

Suitcases, briefcases, bags, pre-packed electrical goods (except TVs) are acceptable for carriage; as long as they do not exceed the aforesaid dimensions. Suitcases, etc. can be wrapped in the plastic wrap provided at Airport wrapping facilities.

TVs, with a maximum of 50 inches, in a pre-packed condition may be accepted.

Apart from cardboard boxes, the following will not be accepted for carriage:

- Improperly packaged items
- Irregular shaped items, wrapped in bedding/blankets
- Matted woven or plastic baggage
- Baggage without a flat surface/ball shaped

You are requested to reach out to already ticketed passengers informing them about this change.

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