



# BULLDOG CLUB OF AMERICA

## Position Statement

### BULLDOG HEADS

The description of the head in the Standard as being a "**massive, short-faced head,**" a "**very short**" face and muzzle and a "**massve**" and "**undershot**" jaw does not cause health problems. These same words appeared in the Standard and inspired breeders for well over 100 years. These features as explained in the Standard do not describe a dog that would have inherent health problems.

These features, if accompanied by a narrow trachea and nostrils (which do not follow the requirements of the standard) may cause breathing problems. However, a well-bred Bulldog should not exhibit these breathing problems if it conforms to the Standard.