

MEETING MINUTES

November 10, 2010

- **Call to Order:**

Dr. James Hearst, President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board called the November 10, 2010 meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. in the Board room located at 77 South High Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

- **Roll Call:**

Renee Jessen, RVT	present
Dr. Paul Stull, DVM	present
Dr. Lisa Mach, DVM	present
Dr. James Hearst, DVM	present
Dr. Timothy Kolb, DVM	present
Dr. Roger Redman, DVM	present

- **Acknowledge Staff, AAG & Guests:**

Dr. Hearst acknowledged the attendance of Theresa Stir, Executive Director, Joe McClain, Licensure Coordinator taking minutes for the Board, Barry McKew, Assistant Attorney General and Jack Advent, Executive Director of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Association.

- **October 2010 Minutes Approved:**

Dr. Kolb moved to approve the October board meeting minutes as written. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **President's Report:**

The Board received correspondence dated October 29, 2010 from Mr. Ray Miskelley requesting removal from past Board minutes entries relating to a family member. In consultation with the Assistant Attorney General, the Board concluded that under R.C. 149.351 the Board would not be able to act on the requested removal; however, it could include correspondence from Mr. Miskelley in the minutes of the Board meeting. Dr. Stull accordingly made the motion to that effect. Dr. Mach seconded the motion. The Motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

Dr. Hearst also shared an article concerning Missouri's puppy mill legislation that just passed.

- **Secretary's Report:** None
- **OVMA Liaison:**

Jack Advent spoke concerning the Board's previous position on the granting of provisional licenses. In December, 2007 the Board passed a motion to permit only those applicants to receive a provisional license if they have not failed the national licensing examination. The Board reaffirmed that position at the May 14, 2008 Board meeting. Mr. Advent discussed the legislative intent with the Board. Dr. Kolb motioned that the Board may not deny consideration of a provisional license based upon an individual not passing the NAVLE. Dr. Mach seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

Mr. Advent also provided an update on the Livestock Standards Board and their attempts at keeping the Livestock Management Rule on their radar to avoid any duplicity or conflict in the administrative rules.

- **OAVT Liaison:**

There was no report from the OAVT liaison.

- **Executive Director Report:**

Directives – The October Board meeting Directives have been completed.

Personal Issues – The Clerk position remains vacant and has not approved by OBM yet for posting.

Audit – Ms Stir reported that the Board is currently undergoing the state biennial audit.

- **FYI:** None

- **Requests for Licensure:**

A. Veterinarians (addendum 1) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian licenses:

Matthew D. Stahl, DVM; Brandy Corrine Snedden, DVM; Lindsay Laurel Whisher, DVM;
Jennifer Kathleen Huelsman, DVM; Elizabeth Lila Dryburgh, DVM;

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

B. Registered Veterinary Technicians (addendum 2) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for registered veterinary technician licenses:

Heather J. Lannigan, RVT; Rachel Lynn Marrow, RVT; Laura Marie Zemanek, RVT; Elizabeth Ilean Waynick, RVT; Jodi Rae Crossgrove, RVT; Michelle Lee Rose, RVT; Tricia Ann Moeller, RVT; Crystall Nichole Bodenmiller, RVT; Heather Lynn Hayward, RVT; Rachael Christine Ranney, RVT; Katelin Elizabeth Foltz, RVT; Heather Brianne Couch, RVT; Barbara N. Foust, RVT; Alexis Anne Bacon, RVT.

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

Renewals – Veterinarians: None

- **Consideration Of:**

The Board acknowledged the following Notices of Opportunity for a Hearing:

A. 10-10-038, Daniel Beer, DVM

- **Assistant Attorney General Report**

Dr. Hearst moved to go into Executive Session at 9:34 a.m. to discuss pending legal matters. Dr. Mach seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

Dr. Hearst announced the Board meeting back in public session at 9:44 a.m.

Dr. Reman moved to accept the following settlement agreements as submitted: 10-10-038, Daniel Beer, DVM and 10-11-075, Dewayne Weaver, DVM. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **Investigative Reports: None**

- **New Complaints:**

A. 10-11-105 complainant Anonymous - Ms. Jessen moved to issue a Cease and Desist Letter. Dr. Mach seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

B. 10-11-106, complainant Robert Esplin – Dr. Mach moved to issue a Cease and Desist Letter. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye

[Break: 10:00 – 10:05 a.m.]

- C. 10-11-111, complainant Gladys Martin – Dr. Mach moved to find that the Board did not have jurisdiction over the matter. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- D. 10-11-112, complainant Thomas Moroney - Dr. Mach moved to request records. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **Complaint Responses Received:**

- A. 10-11-090, complainant Marta Naistetler – Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Mach seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- B. 10-11-093, complainant Teresa Villarreal – Dr. Kolb moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- C. 10-11-098, complainant Carolyn Collins – Dr. Mach moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- D. 10-11-099, complainant Jamie Collins – Dr. Mach moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- E. 10-11-101, complainant Kristie & David Rhoads – [Dr. Kolb left the room prior to discussing this case.] Dr. Mach moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-abstain, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- F. 10-11-103, complainant Lisa & Jim Johnson – After reviewing the x-rays, Dr. Stull moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.
- G. 10-11-104, complainant Department of Agriculture – Dr. Mach moved to issue a Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. . The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **Compliance Inspections:** None

- **Tabled Cases:**

A. 10-11-085, complainant Katie Kleinhenz - Dr. Mach moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

• **Continuing Education Approval Requests – Veterinarians:**

Dr. Mach moved to approve the following continuing education requests for veterinarians as follows:

- A. MedVet Associates, Ltd –
 - 1.) Novel Technique for Intraocular Pressure Evaluation 09/08/2010 = 1 hour
 - 2.) Hermaphrodites 10/13/2010 = 1 hour
 - 3.) Emergency Medicine Clinical Round Table 10/28/2010 = 1 hour
 - 4.) Surgery Seminar 11/07/2010 = 4 hours
 - 5.) Ophthalmology Seminar 11/14/2010 = 3 hours
 - 6.) Neurology & Surgery Seminar 11/21/2010 = 3 hours
 - 7.) Internal Medicine & Surgery Seminar 12/05/2010= 3 hours
 - 8.) Emergency Medicine Clinical Round Table 12/16/2010 = 1 hour
 - 9.) Urinary Incontinence 10/27/2010 = 1 hour
- B. Infusion Technology Organization – Ethics and Best Practices 09/23-22/2010 = Hour for Hour
- C. Great Lakes Veterinary Specialists – Morning Rounds – 4th Wednesday of Every Month = 1 hour
- D. National Animal Control Association – NACA 100 Level 1 Training Academy 11/15-19/2010 = Hour for Hour

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

• **Continuing Education Approval Requests – Registered Veterinary Technicians:**

Dr. Mach moved to approve the following continuing education requests for veterinary technicians as follows:

- A. Ethicon Endo – Surgery Inc. – Otolaryngology 09/23/2010 = 1.5 hours
- B. Extra Paws RVT Relief Service – Small Animal Restraint = 1 hour
- C. MedVet Associates Ltd –
 - 1.) Central Ohio Veterinary Technician Lecture Series 11/18/2010 = 1 hour
 - 2.) Anesthesia Rounds 10/20/2010 = 1 hour
 - 3.) Anesthesia & Ventilator Training = 1 hour

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **Continuing Education Approval Requests – Vets & RVT's:**

Dr. Mach moved to approve the following continuing education requests for veterinarians and veterinary technicians as follows:

- A. Columbus academy of Veterinary Medicine–
 - 1.) Business as (un) usual 01/07/2010 = Non-Scientific
 - 2.) Zoonosis: Increased risk to veterinarians & clients 02/04/2010 = 1 hour
 - 3.) New liver diseases of the Labrador retrievers 03/04/2010 = 1 hour
 - 4.) Don't leave me home alone 04/01/2010 = 1 hour
 - 5.) A Multi-Model Approach to joint health care 05/06/2010 = 1 hour
 - 6.) Give your reminder system a makeover in today's economy 06/03/2010 = Non-Scientific
 - 7.) Microchipping Works 07/01/2010 = 1 hour
 - 8.) Wound Management & Closure 08/05/2010 = 1 hour
 - 9.) 2010 Practitioners Challenge 09/02/2010 = 1 hour
 - 10.) Microbiology 09/13/2010 = 1.5 hours
 - 11.) The great market shift 10/07/2010 = Non-Scientific
 - 12.) Move over rover heartworm is no longer just a dog disease 11/04/2010 = 1 hour

- B. MedVet Associates Ltd –
 - 1.) Oncology & Surgery Seminar 10/24/2010 = 4 hours
 - 2.) Cardiology Conference 09/26/2010 = 4 hours

- C. Cincinnati Animal Referral & Emergency Center – Maximizing outcomes in critical care 11/16/2010 = 2 hours

- D. Pfizer Animal Health – Day of Derm 2 06/26/2010 = 2 hours

- E. Bayer Health Care Animal Health – The ins and outs of canine vector borne diseases and current prevention strategies 10/19/2010 = 1.5 hours

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Kolb-aye, Dr. Stull-aye, Dr. Redman-aye, Ms. Jessen-aye, Dr. Mach-aye.

- **Correspondence Received:**

- A. The Board reviewed correspondence received from Representative Peter Stautberg regarding a constituent's concern regarding a complaint that she had filed with the Board. The Board will respond to Rep. Stautberg explaining the Board's process for review and investigation of complaints filed.

- B. The Board acknowledged correspondence received from Marilyn Gazdic regarding an old complaint.

- **Old Business:** Dr. Redman commented on the success of the 2010 AAVSB conference that he attended in September.
- **New Business:** None
- **Next Board Meeting:**

Dr. Hearst acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for December 8, 2010, 8:30 a.m. in the Board room located at 77 South High Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

- **Adjournment:** 10:30 a.m.

Dr. James Hearst, President

Date

Attested to by:

Theresa Stir, Esq.
Executive Director