



# The Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board

77 South High Street, 16th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-6108



## MEETING MINUTES November 13, 2013

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### 1. Call to Order:

Dr. Gurdas Dass, President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board called the November 13, 2013 meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. in Room 1914, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

### 2. Roll Call:

Dr. Roger Redman, DVM	present (came in at 8:40a.m.)
Dr. Rebecca Salinger, DVM	present
Mr. John Brandt	present
Dr. Timothy Kolb, DVM	present
Ms. Renee Jessen, RVT	present
Dr. Cynthia Kidd, DVM	present

### 3. Acknowledge Staff, AAG & Guests:

Dr. Dass acknowledged the attendance of Barry McKew, Assistant Attorney General, Theresa Stir, Executive Director, Joseph McClain, Licensure Coordinator taking board minutes and other guests in attendance.

**4. October Minutes:** Dr. Kidd moved to approve the October 2013 board minutes as submitted. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brant – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

**5. President's Report:** None

**6. Vice President's Report:** None

**7. Secretary's Report:** None

**8. OVMA Liaison:**

**9. Executive Director Report:**

- A. Directives – The October Board meeting Directives were completed. A letter from the Governor’s office was received acknowledging the Board’s recommendations for reappointment.
- B. Rules- The Board considered each rule up for five year review, the proposed new rules and a proposed new rule from OVMA regarding Livestock Ambulatory Units. The vaccination rule continued to be a topic of concern. John Izzo, Attorney, Dr. Daniella Ranstetter, DVM, and Will Santana, President of VIP provided support of the rule without the time parameters. Jack Advent, Executive Director of OVMA, voiced concern about not having any time parameters in the rule. Discussion of the rules was tabled until the December meeting at which time proposed recommended language will be provided. The Board approved removing the necessity for notary signatures on initial applications in order to prepare for future ability of applying on-line.
- C. Legislative Update – Ms. Stir provided an update on SB 217 which was introduced by Senator Kearney on October 29, 2013. There are multiple questions that can hopefully be addressed by the sponsor of the bill. Dr. Redman moved to direct Ms. Stir to provide a cost analysis in order to determine a percentage of compliance inspections that can be performed in the current budget. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion carried by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.
- D. Office renovation- Ms. Stir provided the Board an update on the office renovation which is set to begin on November 18, 2013 at half of the cost that was originally projected.

**FYI:** None

**[Break 9:53am – 10:08am]**

**10. Requests for Licensure:**

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

Phillip Moon, DVM; Sukumar Kandasamy, DVM; Erin Neville, DVM; Satheesh Chencheri, DVM; Allison Kiser, DVM; Sean Surman, DVM; Elizabeth Embley, DVM.

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

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

Melissa Ray, RVT; Lacey Jentes, RVT; Rebecca Davis, RVT; Juliana Simonich, RVT; Mark Wisniewski, RVT; Monica Corbett, RVT; John Freitag-Engstrom, RVT; Carisa Birkemeier, RVT; Jennifer Mackey, RVT; Courtney Ritchie, RVT; Carolyn Whitesides, RVT; Meaghan Tegge, RVT; Hillary Calogar, RVT; Stephanie Bradley, RVT; Kylie Thomas, RVT; Alexandra Scholl, RVT; Kalana Ousley, RVT; Leah Marks, RVT; Heather Kaluscak, RVT; Chelsea King, RVT; Alissa Andrews, RVT; Kiley House, RVT; Nicole Simmons, RVT; Felicia Extejt, RVT; Megan Womacks, RVT; Kelcie Bomar, RVT; Aron Shaffer, RVT; Audrey Lewis, RVT; Katie Racer, RVT; Helen Ward, RVT; Luke Jacobs, RVT; Ashley Shellabarger, RVT.

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

- C. Specialist License (addendum 3) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian specialist licenses:

Roger A. Hostutler, DVM – ACVIM – Small Animal Internal Medicine  
Rachel Moon, DVM – ACVR– Radiology  
Stephen Martinez, DVM – ACVIM – Small Animal Internal Medicine

Mr. Brandt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

- D. Provisional License (addendum 4) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian provisional licenses:

Maggie T. Young

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

- E. Limited License (addendum 5) – Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following requests for veterinarian limited licenses:

Diane T. Lewis, DVM; Sonja Zabel, DVM.

Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

Dr. Salinger requested that the Veterinary Business Facility Licenses be brought to the Board for approval as well.

**11. Renewals – Registered Veterinary Technicians: None**

**12. Correspondence Received:** : The Board acknowledged the following:

- A. Eric Shaver, DVM; Aron Wise, DVM – Ear Cropping Procedure in accordance with new ODA Commercial Breeder rules – The Board responded that ANY surgical procedure on a companion animal would have to be performed in a stationary facility in accordance with OAC Rule 4741-1-03 or in a mobile unit in accordance with OAC Rule 4741-1-08.

**13. Consideration Of:**

A. The Board acknowledges the following Notice of Opportunity for Hearings:

- 1. File #13-14-103, Susan Metz, DVM
- 2. File #13-14-105, Donald Knepper, DVM
- 3. File #13-14-107, Tara Beery, DVM

B. The Board acknowledges the following scheduled Hearing Notices:

- 1. File #13-14-105, Donald Knepper, DVM
- 2. File # 13-13-078, William Hradil, DVM

C. Medical Records

- 1. Dr. Redman moved to accept the medical records for File # 12-13-087, Anne Midgarden, DVM. Dr. Kolb seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- 2. Dr. Redman moved to accept the medical records for File # 13-13-051, Joy Davidson, DVM. Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- 3. Dr. Redman moved to find the medical records unacceptable for File # 13-13-070, Earl Neltner, DVM. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

**14. New Complaints:**

- A. 13-14-115, complainant Betty Brown – Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- B. 13-14-118, complainant Anonymous – Dr. Kidd moved to send a Cease and Desist Letter. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr.

Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – abstain, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

- C. 13-14-127, complainant Tara Dorsey – Ms. Jessen moved to send the case to Investigation. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

## **15. Complaint Responses Received:**

- A. 13-14-109, complainant Tina & Dover Miller – Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – abstain, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- B. 13-14-111, complainant Jane Ross– Dr. Redman moved to issue an Advisory Letter. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- C. 13-14-112, complainant John Ross Jr – Dr. Salinger moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- D. 13-14-116, complainant Mellissa Caddell – Dr. Salinger moved to find no violation of Chapter 4741 ORC. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – abstain, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- E. 13-14-119, complainant Robert Warner – Dr. Redman 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. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- F. 13-14-120, complainant Evelyn Pfof – Ms. Jessen moved to issue a Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Dr. Salinger seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – abstain, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.
- G. 13-14-121, complainant Nancy McClain – Dr. Salinger moved to issue a Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Mr. Brant seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

## **16. Compliance Inspections: None**

**17. Request for Reconsideration: None**

**18. Tabled Cases: None**

**19. Assistant Attorney General Report :**

At 11:01 a.m., Ms. Jessen made a motion to enter executive session in accordance with ORC 121.22(G) to discuss pending legal matters involving current and pending court cases. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

Dr. Dass announces that the meeting is back in public session at 11:50 a.m.

Dr. Redman moved to approve the following settlement agreements:

- A. 13-13-006, David Boyer, DVM
- B. 13-14-088, Bradley Bruns, DVM
- C. 13-14-105, Donald Knepper, DVM

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

**20. Investigative Reports:**

- A. 13-13-064, complainant Susan Centorame - Dr. Redman moved to issue a Notice of Opportunity for a Hearing. Mr. Brandt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman - aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd- aye.

**21. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Veterinarians**

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education with changes:

- A. Boehringer Ingelheim-Pet Vaccines: What’s Really Up Doc, 10/16/2013 = 1 hour
- B. International Veterinary Acupuncture Society-Basic Veterinary Acupuncture Certification Course, 2013-2014 = hour for hour
- C. Miami Valley Veterinary Medical Association-Hyperthyroidism in Cats, 05/07/2013 = 2 hours

- D. Butler and Warren Counties Vet Med Association-Radiography of Selected Thoracic and Abdominal Trauma and Related Emergencies, 09/10/2013 = 1 hour
- E. Metropolitan Veterinary Hospital-2013 Fall Conference, 10/27/2013 = **Hour for Hour**
- F. Veterinary Internal Medicine-Clinical Pathologic Conference, 10/09/2013 = 1 hour

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

**22. Continuing Education Approval Requests – Registered Veterinary Technicians:**

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education:

- A. Miami Valley Veterinary Medical Association-Dentistry for Technicians, 11/10/2013 = 3 hours
- B. Merial-This Wound Will Never Heal! Or Will It?, 11/13/2013 = 2 hours

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

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

Ms. Jessen moved to accept the following continuing education with changes:

- A. Henry Schein Animal Health-
  - 1. Better Business=Better Medicine, 11/06/2013 & 11/14/2013 = 1 hour **Non- Scientific**
  - 2. Controlled Substances, An Easy Guide to Compliance = 1.5 hours **Non- Scientific**
- B. Metropolitan Veterinary Hospital-
  - 1. Acid Base/Blood Gas, 09/19/2013 = 1 hour
  - 2. Fracture Radiology, 09/24/2013 = 1 hour
  - 3. Hepato-biliary, 10/10/2013 = 1 hour
  - 4. Arrhythmias: Diagnosis and Treatment, 10/08/2013 = 1 hour
  - 5. Thymoma, 10/22/2013 = 1 hour
- C. Toledo Veterinary Medical Association/Medvet of Columbus-Feline Medicine and Surgery, 11/03/2013 = 6.5 hours
- D. Academy of Surgical Research-The 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, 09/27-28/2013 = 16 hours
- E. Vetri-Science-Nurto-Science, 09/23/2013 = 1 hour
- F. Merial-Vaccine Technology, 09/19/2013 = 1 hour

- G. Elanco-
  - 1. Rethinking Perioperative Analgesia, 10/09/2013 = 1.5 hours
  - 2. Protecting Your Pharmacy, 10/15/2013 = 1 hour **Non- Scientific**
  - 3. How to Avoid the 5 Most Common Mistakes in Vet Dermatology, 07/31/2013 = 1.5 hours
- H. Royal Canin-Columbus Academy of Veterinary Medicine-Food Allergy Cases and How to Select the Appropriate Diet, 09/05/2013 = 1 hour
- I. Online Continuing Ed,LLC- **Non- Scientific (If Not In Real Time)**
  - 1. Diagnosis and Treatment in Equine Medicine 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, On-going = 6 hours each **Non- Scientific (If Not In Real Time)**
  - 2. Natural Veterinary Medicine 201, 202, 203, 204, On-going = 6 hours each **Non- Scientific (If Not In Real Time)**
  - 3. Veterinary Acupuncture 201, 202, 203, On-going = 6 hours each **Non- Scientific (If Not In Real Time)**
  - 4. Veterinary Acupuncture 204, On-going = 12 hours **Non- Scientific (If Not In Real Time)**
- J. UC-Lab Animal Medical Services-Zoonotic Diseases, 10/25/2013 = 1 hour
- K. Central Ohio Veterinary Medical Association-The Latest on Friferus and Recuvyra, 10/22/2013 = 1.5 hours
- L. Cleveland Academy of Veterinary Medicine-
  - 1. What's New in Allergies, 09/11/2013 = 4 hours
  - 2. Emergency Medicine and Toxicology, 10/16/2013 = 4 hours

Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

## **26. Euthanasia Course:**

- A. The Humane Society of the United State - Ms. Jessen moved to approve the following Euthanasia course. Dr. Kidd seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Dr. Redman – aye, Dr. Salinger – aye, Mr. Brandt – aye, Dr. Kolb – aye, Ms. Jessen – aye, Dr. Kidd – aye.

## **27. Old Business: None**

- 28. New Business** – Dr. Redman, as an AAVSB Board of Director's member, announced that Dr. Kidd had been appointed to the AAVSB Bylaws Committee. Congratulations were offered by the Board members.

29. **Adjournment:** The Board adjourned at 11:54 a.m.

30. **Next Board Meeting:**

Dr. Dass acknowledged that the next Board meeting is scheduled for December 11, 2013, 8:30 a.m. in room 1914, located at 77 South High Street, 19th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.



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Dr. Gurdas Dass, President

12/11/13

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Date

Attested to by:



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Theresa Stir, Esq.  
Executive Director



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## SIGN-IN SHEET

Board Meeting – November 13, 2013

T. KLB DVM	Board Member
John Izzo	Griffith + McCombs/VIP
Katryna Floor	VIP PetCare
Danielle Rastetter, DVM	VIP PetCare
HILL SANTANA	VIP PETCARE
Jack Adewun	OumA
Gordon S. Darr	B.M.
be Mc	OVALB staff
Renee Jessen	Bd member
Bary	Bd member
Cindy	Bd member
Theresa	Bd staff
John A. Brandt	Bd Mem
Bary	AG
John	Bd Member