

OHIO VETERINARY MEDICAL LICENSING BOARD

MINUTES

April 12, 2006

Dr. Darrell Gitz, President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board, called the April 12, 2006, meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. in the Board Room at 77 S. High Street, 31st Floor, Columbus, Ohio. Call to Order

Dr. Gitz directed the Executive Secretary to call roll: Roll Call

Dr. Janet Small	present
Dr. Darrell Gitz	present
Dr. James Burt	present
Dr. David Koncal	present
Renee Jessen, RVT	present
John Bentine	present

Dr. Gitz acknowledged the attendance of Heather Hissom, Executive Secretary, Donna Fickel, Secretary, Barry McKew, AAG and Dr. Robert Knapp, OVMA liaison. Attendance Staff, AAG

Dr. Burt moved to approve the March 8, 2006 Minutes with corrections. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen- aye. March 8, 2006 Minutes approved

There was no president's report. Pres. Rep.

There was no secretary's report. Sec. Rep.

Dr. Knapp reported that the OVMA was continuing to monitor the progress of the practice act changes in the legislature. OVMA Rep.

Heather Hissom, Executive Secretary, reported that the directives from the last board meeting had been completed. Ms. Hissom stated that OPEP reports had been received for both Dr. Frizzell and Dr. Ochterski showing that they are in compliance with their treatment plans. Ms. Hissom reported that the NBMVE sent a memo stating that there had been a security breach with the NAVLE examination with a couple of takers posting questions on a chat room. Ms. Hissom stated that an update on the PAVE program had been received and there are currently 450 students Exec. Sec. Report
OPEP: Frizzell & Ochterski
NAVLE security
PAVE update

enrolled. Ms. Hissom updated the board on the proposed board consolidation. The House did not pass the budget correction bill with consolidation included. The Governor signed the bill restoring the board’s appropriation for FY 07.

Consolidation

Dr. Small moved to acknowledge receipt of the following new complaints and the file numbers issued:

New Complaints
Acknowledged

- 06-06-022 Mark Ulrich, DVM (complainant)
- 06-06-023 Robert McClung, DVM (complainant)
- 06-06-024 Beth Simpson
- 06-06-025 Susan LeMieux
- 06-06-026 Debra Rotte
- 06-06-028 Anonymous
- 06-06-029 Lisa Beam
- 06-06-030 Anonymous
- 06-06-031 Christina Faris
- 06-06-032 Anonymous
- 06-06-033 Anonymous
- 06-06-034 Anonymous
- 06-06-035 Jeanette Hawthorne
- 06-06-036 Roberta Erena, MD
- 06-06-037 Christina Buchfellner
- 06-06-038 Pamela Crosby
- 06-06-039 Eleanor Altman
- 06-06-040 Karen Bolden
- 06-06-041 Julia Otero
- 06-06-042 Keith DeArmond
- 06-06-043 Philip Rogers
- 06-06-044 Earlene Heise
- 06-06-045 Geoffrey Wilson

Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye.

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case 06-06-018, complainant Carol Weinert. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-018
No Vio.

Mr. Bentine moved to issue an advisory e-mail regarding alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-022, complainant Mark Ulrich, DVM, and a letter to the complainant regarding the board’s authority in cases of practicing without a license. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-022
Advisory E-mail

Dr. Small moved to find no jurisdiction in the case of 06-06-023, complainant Robert McClung, DVM, and to refer the case to the Board of Pharmacy. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-023
No Juris.

Dr. Small moved to find no jurisdiction in the case of 06-06-028, complainant Anonymous, and to refer to ODA. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-028
No Juris.

Mr. Bentine moved to issue a cease & desist letter in the case of 06-06-030, complainant Anonymous. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-030
Cease & desist

Mr. Bentine moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-032, complainant Anonymous. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-032
Invest.

Dr. Small moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-033 and 06-06-034, complainant Anonymous. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-033
06-06-034
Invest.

Ms. Jessen moved to find no jurisdiction in the case of 06-06-042, complainant Keith DeArmond. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-042
No Juris.

Dr. Small moved to request treatment records and additional information in the case of 06-06-043, complainant Philip Rogers. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-043
Req. records

Dr. Small moved to find no jurisdiction in the case of 06-06-045, complainant Geoffrey Wilson. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-045
No Juris.

Dr. Burt moved to acknowledge the following 119's issued: 05-05-062, James Harrison, DVM. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. Ack. 119

Dr. Burt moved to acknowledge the following hearing schedules 05-05-072 Ack. Hearing
 Beatrice Turk, DVM and 05-06-108 Daniel Stearns, DVM. Dr. Koncal seconded the Schedules
 motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-
 aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Koncal moved to accept the patient records in the case of 03-03-068, Mark 03-03-068
 Parker, DVM. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll Patient Records
 call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt- aye; Ms. Jessen-
 aye.

Dr. Small moved to approve the following continuing education courses for CE for Vets
 veterinarians:

Pfizer – Comprehensive Pain Mgt Forum– 5/10-12/06; 5/17-19/06 – 9 hrs ea
 Schering-Plough – Nu Flor Mtg – 4/21 & 22/06 – 5 hrs

Hancock VMA

1. Hypoadrenocorticism – 1/11/05 – 1 hr
2. Rise & Fall of Liver Enzymes – 3/8/05 – 1 hr
3. Dermatology – 5/11/05 – 1 hr
4. Feline Murmurs – 9/13/05 – 1 hr
5. Ektoparasites – 11/8/05 – 1 hr
6. Periodontal Disease - 1/10/06 – 1 hr

Veterinary Internal Referral – Clinical Pathologic Conf – 3/8/06 – 1 hr

Humane Society of US–Disaster Animal Response Training–3/3-5/06 – hr/hr

Butler Warren Co. VMA–Disaster Planning for Our Locale-3/14/06 – 2 hrs

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call
 vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-
 aye.

Dr. Small moved to approve the following continuing education courses for CE for RVTs
 registered veterinary technicians:

Pets Dx Veterinary Imaging – Use of MRI – 4/26/05 – 1 hr

OAA Annual Banquet & Conf – 12/03/05 – hr/hr

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call
 vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Small moved to approve the following continuing education courses for veterinarians and registered veterinary technicians except Parrot Education & Adoption Center Small Bird Seminar – 5/6/06 – 3 hrs, Pawzitive Beginnings Dog Training – Calming Signals – 5/20&21/06 – hr/hr and American Assoc of Human Animal Bonds – Positive Care for the End of Life – 5/19/06 – 1hr which require additional information:

CE for Vets & RVT's

AAHA Nat'l Staff Meeting – 3/7/06 – 1 hr

Parrot Education & Adoption Center – Conference 2006 – 5/6/06 – 8 hrs

Pfizer

1. Ten Most Common Dermatologic Diagnosis – 3/28/06 – 2 hrs

2. Guided Veterinary Dermatology – 3/29/06 – 3 hrs

3. Feline Zoonotic Diseases – 4/25 & 26/06 – 1.5 hrs ea

4. Guided Veterinary Emergency Critical Care Med–2/7 & 2/9/06–4 hrs ea

Columbus Academy of Vet Med

1. Antibiotic Selection – 2/2/06 – 1 hr

2. Vaccines & Vaccinations, The Road Ahead – 3/2/06 – 1.5 hrs

CARE Center – Basics of Anesthesia – 3/30/06 – 1.5 hrs

Bayer Animal Health – Vector Born Diseases in Companion Animals – 3/22/06 – 1 hr

Nutrition Seminars – Maximize Canine & Feline Health With Whole Food

Supp– 5/20/06–hr/hr

Ft. Dodge – Managing Vaccination Protocols – 2/23/06 – 2 hrs

OSU

1. Vet Ultra Sound – 4/29-30/06 – 12 hrs

2. Vet Dietetics – 4/2/06 – 8 hrs

3. Total Hip Replacement – 4/21&22/06 – 13.5 hrs

4. Video Otoscopy – 5/6/06 – 7 hrs

5. Symposium on Endocrinology – 9/30-10/1/06 – 14 hrs.

Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Burt moved to issue licenses to Rebecca Ann Page, Lisa Marie Williams, Sueleal Althouse Berlin, Joshua Thomas Bartoe, Mark Poston, Sarah Diane Schug, Lawrence M. Keller and specialty licenses to Tina M. Wolfe and Susanna Schwartz. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Licenses Issued

Dr. Small moved to grant a CE waiver to John McDevitt, DVM. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

CE waiver:
John McDevitt,
DVM

Ms. Jessen moved to approve the veterinary renewal of Craig Kryger, DVM after reviewing discipline from Pennsylvania. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion

Renewal App'd: App. Craig

passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye Dr. Koncal-aye; Kryger, DVM
Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Mr. Bentine moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-009, 06-06-009
complainant Ann Turley. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the No Vio.
following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye;
Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Small moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06- 06-06-012
06-012, complainant Vicky Spanos. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed Invest.
by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr.
Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-013, 06-06-013
complainant Jeff Bowers. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the No Vio.
following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye;
Ms. Jessen-aye.

Mr. Bentine moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-017, 06-06-017
complainant Robert Nelson. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the No Vio.
following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye;
Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Koncal moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06- 06-06-019
06-019, complainant Cloyd Jack. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by Invest.
the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-
aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Koncal moved to find no violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-020, 06-06-020
complainant Heather Barrick. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the No Vio.
following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye;
Ms. Jessen-aye.

The Board tabled the case of 06-06-021, complainants Judy & Robert St. Germain 06-06-021
until later in the agenda. Table until later in
agenda

Mr. Bentine moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06- 06-06-024
06-024, complainant Beth Simpson. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed 06-06-024
by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Invest.
Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Small moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06- 06-06-025
06-025, complainant Susan LeMieux. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion Invest.

passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-026, complainant Debra Rotte. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-026 No Vio.

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-029, complainant Lisa Beam but to investigate Lauren Schairer, DVM regarding non-renewal of her veterinary license. Mr. Bentine seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-029 No Vio.

Dr. Burt moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-031, complainant Christina Faris. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-031 Invest.

Dr. Koncal moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-035, complainant Jeanette Hawthorne. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-6-035 No Vio.

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-036, complainant Roberta Erena. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-036 No Vio.

Mr. Bentine moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-037, complainant Christina Buckfellner. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-037 Invest.

Mr. Bentine moved to give notice of a compliance inspection in the case of 06-06-037, complainant Christina Buckfellner, and to return to clinic for C/I. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-037 C/I

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-021, complainants Judy and Robert St. Germain. Dr. Burt seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-021 No Vio.

Dr. Small moved to go into executive session at 11:20 a.m. for the purpose of Exec. Session

hearing the AAG report. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Gitz declared the board out of executive session at 11:40 a.m.

The board reviewed correspondence from Kathy Zaper regarding case 05-06-131. Correspondence
The board directed the AAG to respond.

Dr. Small moved to approve Veterinary Dental Concepts – Periodontal Disease – CE for vets & RVT
2/8/06 – 2 hrs as continuing education for both veterinarians and registered veterinary technicians. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Burt-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Gitz left the meeting for discussion of the following case.

The Board reviewed information sent from Dr. David Frizzell’s attorney regarding case 05-05-009. The Board determined not to change its previous action. 05-05-009
No action

The Board discussed the request for approval from St. George’s University. SGU & Ross
The Board directed Ms. Hissom to request additional information from SGU. The Board University: request
further directed Ms. Hissom to request the same information from Ross University to Information
update their approval.

Ms. Hissom read the board directives. Directives

The Board signed licenses.

Dr. Gitz acknowledged that the next meeting will be held May 10, 2006, 8:30 a.m. Next meeting
on the 19th Floor or possibly Mr. Bentine’s office. The location will be announced if changed.

Dr. Burt moved to adjourn the meeting at 12:05 p.m. Mr. Bentine seconded the Adjournment
motion. Dr. Gitz adjourned the meeting.

Dr. Darrell Gitz, President

Date

Attested to by:

Heather Hissom
Executive Secretary