

**OHIO VETERINARY MEDICAL LICENSING BOARD**

**MINUTES**

**July 12, 2006**

Dr. Darrell Gitz, President of the Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board, called the July 12, 2006, meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. in the West B & C rooms 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	absent
Dr. David Koncal	present
Dr. Roger Redman	present
Renee Jessen, RVT	present
John Bentine	present

Dr. Gitz acknowledged the attendance of Heather Hissom, Executive Secretary, Donna Fickel, Secretary, and Barry McKew, AAG.

Attendance Staff, AAG

Dr. Koncal moved to approve the June 14, 2006 Minutes. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye.

June 14, 2006 Minutes approved

Dr. Gitz reported that he attended the signing of HB 458 with Ms. Jessen and Ms. Hissom on July 11, 2006.

Pres. Rep.

There was no secretary's report.

Sec. Rep.

There was no OVMA report.

OVMA liaison

Heather Hissom, Executive Secretary, reported that the directives from the last board meeting had been completed. Ms. Hissom reported that OPEP reports were received for both Dr. Frizzell and Dr. Ochterski. Both veterinarians had negative results. Ms. Hissom stated that the AAVSB conference would again be held in Kansas City, MO in September. Mr. Bentine moved to send Dr. Gitz and Ms. Hissom to the conference. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the

Exec. Sec. Report  
OPEP reports: Drs. Frizzell & Ochterski

following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye. Ms. Small moved to also send Ms. Jessen to the conference. Mr. Bentine seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye. Ms. Hissom stated that the signing ceremony for HB 458 was held on July 11. The official signing date is unknown at this time. Ms. Hissom stated that the Auditor’s Office will release the audit report and send a copy to each board member.

AAVSB conference

HB 458

Audit report

There were several items of interest sent with board information: OAVT newsletter, VRC referral form, National Board Report and an updated board member information sheet.

Mr. Bentine moved to acknowledge receipt of the following new complaints and the file numbers issued: New Complaints Acknowledged

- 06-06-075 Treena Jackson
- 06-06-076 John & Gloria Giering
- 06-06-077 Kelly Spear
- 06-06-078 Anonymous
- 06-06-079 Sheila Murray
- 06-06-080 Beverly Palmer
- 06-06-081 Beth Eggers

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

Dr. Koncal moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-078, 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. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye. 06-06-078 Invest.

Mr. Bentine moved to find no violation in the case of 06-06-079, complainant Sheila Murray. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal- aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen- aye. 06-06-079 No Vio.

The board acknowledged the hearing schedules for James Harrison, DVM, file # 05-05-067, and Amy Hayward, DVM, file # 05-06-121. Ack. Hearing Schedules

Dr. Small moved to approve the following continuing education courses for veterinarians except the Pharmacy Law Institute Summer Symp – 7/28/06 – 7 hrs: CE for Vets

- Pets DX Veterinary Imaging – Improving Neurological Exam – 10/11/06; 8/2/06; 8/16/06; 8/30/06; 9/13/06 & 9/27/06 – 1 hr each date
- ODA – Johnes Disease Certification – 7/13/06 – 5 hrs

Veterinary Internal Med – Clinical Pathologic Conference – 6/14/06 – 1 hr  
Royal Veterinary College – Exotics & Special Species–5/13&14/06–13 hrs  
Pfizer –

1. Surgical Pain Mgt – 6/28/06 – 4 hrs
2. Power of One Dairy Vet Mtg – 6/21-23/06 – 10.5 hrs
3. Managing Microbes – 8/10-12/06 – 7.5 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. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Small moved to approve the following continuing education courses for veterinarians and registered veterinary technicians except Toledo Lucas County Health Dept – A Mass Dispensing Training – 8/4/06 – 4.25 hrs; Hills – Veterinary Nutritional Advocate – on line – 15 hrs and MedVet Medical Ethics – 6/14/06 – 1 hr:

CE for Vets & RVT's

Northeast OH Equine Practitioners–Practical Equine Cardiology–6/29/06  
– 3 hrs

OSU

1. Canine Theriogenology – 8/12&13/06 – 14.5 hrs
2. Camelid Neonatal Clinic – 7/21&22/06 – 11 hrs

Ft. Dodge – Canine Leptospirosis – 6/21/06 – 2 hrs

MedVet

1. Chronic Inflammatory Polyneuropathy – 4/12/06 – 1 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. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Mr. Bentine moved to issue licenses to Danielle Anthony, Mark Bobofchak, Domini Cooper, Jennifer Severt, Bradley Stephens, Jason Arble, Roselle Abyad, Joseph Gainey, Stacey Poskarbiewicz, Brooke West, Stephanie Day, Elizabeth Feltes, Joanna Nortmann, Regan Stetar, John Bruce, Beata Dubiel, Erin O'Donnell, Jesse Watson, Adam Watson, Heidi Woodruff, Julie Miles, Jessica Morehouse, Jill Munro, Steven Barthelmas Jr., Scott Baumgardner, Kelly Bobeck, Tracey Hitchcock, Jodi Hauser, Danielle LaVecchio, Elizabeth Mahle, William Maynard, James Swinney Jr., Tiersten Brockmeier, Catherine Carlson, Hollie Connell, Rachel Elliott, Heather Jarrett, Lindsay Layman, Kristin Takacs, Jill Yaissle, Melanie deHaan, Ann Bancroft, Glenn Hansen, Katherine McCoy, Jessica Pizzuli and Jennifer Zablackas. . Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Licenses Issued

Mr. Bentine moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-049, complainant Stephen Zugay. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-

06-06-049  
No Vio.

aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Small moved that a compliance inspection be scheduled in the case of 06-06-049, complainant Stephen Zugay. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-049  
C/I

Dr. Koncal moved to find no violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-059, complainant Carla Smith. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-059  
No Vio.

Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-060, complainants Jim & Watina Frodge. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-060  
No Vio.

Ms. Jessen moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-063, complainant Debra Beheler. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-063  
No Vio.

Mr. Bentine moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-069, complainant Brenda Fry. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-069  
Invest.

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-070, complainant James Neaven. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-070  
No Vio.

Dr. Redman moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-071, complainant Darlene Pallay-Mollera. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-071  
No Vio.

Dr. Koncal moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-073, complainant Kaye Price. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-073  
Invest.

Dr. Koncal moved to go into executive session at 10:21 a.m. to review the investigative reports and hear the AAG report. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The Exec. Session

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

Dr. Gitz declared the board out of executive session at 12:05 p.m.

Mr. Bentine moved issue a 119 in the case of 05-06-093, complainant Katherine Paxon, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(AA) and O.A.C. 4741-1-21. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 05-06-093 Issue 119

Dr. Small moved issue a 119 in the case of 05-06-128, complainant Kimberly Caudill, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(A) and O.A.C. 4741-1-03(A). Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 05-06-128 Issue 119

Dr. Koncal moved issue a 119 in the case of 05-06-132, complainant Lucinda Best, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(AA) and O.A.C. 4741-1-21 and to obtain an opinion from the AG’s office on the paperwork transferring ownership. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 05-06-132 Issue 119

Dr. Redman left for discussion of the following case.

Dr. Koncal moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 05-06-137, complainant Andre Bonnell. Dr. Small seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman- abstain; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-137 No Vio.

Dr. Redman moved to issue a 119 in the case of 06-06-144, complainant Sandra Jagerski, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(A) and O.A.C. 4741-1-03(A). Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-144 Issue 119

Dr. Redman moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-006, complainant Chuck Gilmore. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-006 No Vio.

Dr. Koncal moved to continue the investigation in the case of 06-06-012, complainant Vicky Spanos. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-012 Continue Invest.

Dr. Redman moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-014, complainant Anonymous. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the 06-06-014 No Vio.

following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Koncal moved to issue a 119 in the case of 06-06-024, complainant Beth Simpson, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(AA) and O.A.C. 4741-1-21. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine-aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-024 Issue 119

Dr. Koncal moved to make a referral to the local prosecutor in the case of 06-06-032, complainant Anonymous. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-032 Refer to Pros.

Dr. Redman moved to continue the investigation in the case of 06-06-37, complainant Christina Buchfellner. Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 06-06-037 Continue Invest.

Mr. Bentine moved to accept the settlement agreement in the case of 05-05-030, Cheryl DeWitt, 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. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye. 05-05-030 Settlement Agreement

Mr. Bentine moved to send letters to the following clinics with compliance inspections and a 30 day correction letter to Steven DeBruin, DVM – Feeder Creek Vet Services and Karen Osborne, DVM, Kenneth Martin, DVM – Muskingum Valley Veterinary Service: Compliance Inspections

- Luann Taylor, DVM – Brandywine Hospital for Pets
- Don Smith, DVM – Maysville Animal Hospital
- Mary Ann Shinn, DVM – Countryside Animal Clinic
- Tammy Harris, DVM – Animal Hospital of Pataskala
- Jeffrey Reiswig, DVM – Village Veterinary Care
- Jack Wine, DVM – Wine Animal Clinic
- David Brinkman, DVM – Hillside Veterinary Clinic

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

Executive Session

Dr. Small moved to go into executive session at 12:30 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing the tabled investigative reports. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

Dr. Gitz declared the board out of executive session at 1:35 p.m.

Ms. Jessen moved to issue a 119 in the case of 05-06-110, complainant Tom Witt, for violations of R.C. 4741.22(A) and O.A.C. 4741-1-03(A). Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small-aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

05-06-110  
Issue 119

Dr. Small moved to find no violation of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-010, complainant Angela Miller. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-010  
No Vio.

Ms. Jessen moved to issue a 119 in the case of 05-06-127, complainant Ted Pavlik, for violation of R.C. 4741.22(A) and O.A.C. 4741-1-03(A). Dr. Koncal seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

05-06-127  
Issue 119

Dr. Redman moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-051, complainant Garth Falde. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-051  
Invest.

Dr. Redman moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-148, complainant Julie & Brandon Waddle. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-148  
Invest.

Dr. Koncal moved to investigate alleged violations of R.C. 4741 in the case of 06-06-067, complainant Carol Hunter. Mr. Bentine seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

06-06-067  
Invest.

Mr. Bentine moved to table discussion of St. George’s University and Ross University until they have received their initial accreditation visits and to request copies of accreditation reports. Dr. Redman seconded the motion. The motion passed by the following roll call vote: Mr. Bentine- aye; Dr. Small- aye; Dr. Koncal-aye; Dr. Redman-aye; Ms. Jessen-aye.

SGU and RU  
Table

Mr. Bentine left the meeting.

Vet. Bus. Fac.  
Permit application

The Board reviewed a draft application for the veterinary business facilities permit.

Directives

Ms. Hissom read the board directives.

The Board signed licenses.

Next meeting

Dr. Gitz acknowledged that the next meeting will be held August 9, 2006, 8:30 a.m. on the 31<sup>st</sup> floor of the Riffe Center.

Adjournment

Dr. Small moved to adjourn the meeting at 2:20 p.m. Ms. Jessen seconded the motion. Dr. Gitz adjourned the meeting.

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Dr. Darrell Gitz, President

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Date

Attested to by:

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Heather Hissom  
Executive Secretary