

**Georgia Board of Veterinary Medicine  
Investigative Committee Meeting  
October 20, 2015  
237 Coliseum Drive  
Macon, Georgia 31217  
10:00a.m.**

**Members Present:**

Dr. Edsel Davis, DVM  
Dr. Larry Corry, DVM

**Staff Present:**

Adrienne D. Price, Executive Director  
Kim Candler, Licensing Analyst

**Attorney General's Office:**

Amelia Baker, Sr. Assistant Attorney General

**Open Session Minutes**

The Investigative Committee of the Georgia Board of Veterinary Medicine met on Tuesday, October 20, 2015 at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia, 31217. The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. Dr. Edsel Davis and Dr. Larry Corry seconded the motion to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing investigative cases and to conduct investigative interviews as authorized by O.C.G.A. Sections 43-1-2(h) and 43-11-47(h). The motion carried unanimously.

At the conclusion of the Executive Session, Dr. Davis declared the meeting open pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §50-14-1 et seq. and The Investigative Committee entered a unanimous vote to present the recommendations to the Board as indicated below.

**Investigative Interviews:**

VET160004

**Recommendations:**

Close with a Letter of concern to the respondent to improve client communication of treatment options and documentation of client preferences in treatment.

**Discussion Cases:**

VET160014

**Recommendations:**

Close with a Letter of concern citing O.C.G.A. 43-50-41(6)

VET140067

Close with a letter of non-jurisdiction.

VET150029

Obtain Disposition of DEA investigation and Schedule Investigative Interview.

VET150057

Schedule an Investigative Interview.

VET160012

Additional investigation requested to obtain a copy of the prescription from the complainant and if possible testimonial evidence by the pharmacy that received the prescription. Close complaint regarding the standard of care given by respondent #2.

VET140051

Prepare case for Cease and Desist Hearing by obtaining a criminal record, formal sentencing documents and the final court disposition. Once obtained refer the case to the Attorney General's Office to conduct the Cease and Desist Hearing.

VET150042	Close complaint, no violation of the standard of care found.
VET150051	Attorney General to Prepare and order of Private Order of Physical Evaluation.
VET150053	Prepare and send file for peer review.
VET150056	Renew license with a Letter of Concern for Failure to disclose action from any licensing Boards.
VET150060	Close Complaint, no violation of the standard of care found.
VET160001	Close Complaint, No violation of the standard of care found.
VET160003	Reaffirm recommendation and Board vote August 12, 2015 to close complaint finding no violation of the standard of care.
VET140061	Additional investigation requested to obtain a certificate of cremation or if the complainant has had medical relationship with DVM that arranged the cremation of the animal in question.
VET160028	License has been renewed. Remove any existing holds or alerts associated with this review and close complaint.
VET160015	Close complaint, respondent properly applied the lien law O.C.G.A. 4-11-9.3
VET160017	Close complaint, no violation of the Standard of care found.
VET160019	Close with a letter of concern about presentation of necessity of reasons for extractions on pre-procedure examination and explanation to client.
VET160020	Close complaint, no violation of the Standard of care found.
VET160033	Send the 1st notice of Suspension Pursuant to O.C.G.A. 43-1-29.
VET160011	Close complaint, no violations of Board rules or law identified by investigation.
VET160013	Schedule Investigative Interview
VET160026	Schedule Investigative Interview
VET120043	Schedule Investigative Interview

At the conclusion of the Executive Session, Dr. Davis declared the meeting open pursuant to the Open and Public Meeting Act, O.C.G.A. §50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during Executive Session.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the meeting adjourned at 2:04.

Dr. Beckey Malphus, DVM  
**Investigative Committee Chairman**

10/21/2015

Adrienne D. Price  
**Executive Director**

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