

GEORGIA STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
Teleconference Minutes
Tuesday, January 7, 2020 – 8:30 a.m.

The Georgia State Board of Veterinary Medicine met via teleconference on Tuesday, January 7, 2020. The following members were present:

Board Members Present

Dr. Larry Corry, DVM, Chair
Dr. John Sundstrom, DVM, Vice Chair
Dr. Beckey Malphus, DVM, Board Member
Dr. Henry Bohn, DVM, Board Member

Staff Present

Adrienne Price, Executive Director
Michelle Hornaday, Board Support Specialist
Charlotte Mason, Licensing Supervisor

Board Members Absent

Mr. Thomas Culpepper, Consumer Board Member

Attorney General's Office

Betsy Cohen, Assistant Attorney General

Visitors Present

No visitors present.

Call to Order: Dr. Corry established a quorum of the Board was present and called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

OPEN SESSION

Agenda The Board accepted the agenda as presented.

Open Session Board Minutes

1. December 11, 2019 Board Meeting Minutes

Dr. Malphus motioned, Dr. Bohn seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to accept the December 11, 2019 open session Board meeting minutes as amended.

Petition for Rule Waiver – BR 700-7-.02 – Jessica Davis, VET008569

Dr. Malphus motioned, Dr. Sundstrom seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to deny the petition to waive BR 700-7-.02, based on insufficient evidence to substantiate a substantial hardship.

Dr. Bohn made a motion, Dr. Malphus seconded, and the Board voted to enter into Executive Session in accordance with O.C.G.A. §§ 43-1-2 (k); 43-1-19 (h) and 50-14-2 (1) to deliberate on enforcement matters and to receive information on investigative reports and the Assistant Attorney General's report. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included: Dr. Corry, Dr. Sundstrom, Dr. Malphus and Dr. Bohn.

At the conclusion of Executive Session on Tuesday, January 7, 2020, Dr. Corry declared the meeting to be "open" pursuant to the Open and Public Meetings Act O.C.G.A. § 50-14-1 et seq. No votes were taken during executive session.

OPEN SESSION

Executive Session Board Minutes

1. December 11, 2019 Executive Board Meeting Minutes

Dr. Sundstrom motioned, Dr. Bohn seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to accept the December 11, 2019 executive session Board meeting minutes as amended.

Dr. Corry left the meeting at 9:11 a.m.
Dr. Corry returned to the meeting at 9:18 a.m.

Miscellaneous Executive Discussion

1. VET190042

Dr. Malphus motioned, Dr. Bohn seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to approve the requested providers, monitoring program and aftercare, and accept the order as received.

2. Correspondence Regarding review of CE Provider Applications

Dr. Bohn motioned, Dr. Malphus seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to notify the writer that the intent of the Board is public safety. The Board does not discriminate against any person or entity, reviews all matters in a fair and equitable manner and the referenced applications are currently going through the approval process.

3. CE Provider Applications

Dr. Bohn motioned, Dr. Malphus seconded and the Board voted unanimously in favor of the motion to approve the CE provider applications discussed.

Adjournment No further business was discussed and the meeting adjourned at 9:27 a.m.

Minutes recorded by: Michelle Hornaday, Board Support Specialist
Minutes reviewed by: Charlotte Mason, Licensing Supervisor & Adrienne Price, Executive Director
Minutes approved on: February 12, 2020

LARRY CORRY, DVM
BOARD CHAIRPERSON

ADRIENNE PRICE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR