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### MICHIGAN BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE DECEMBER 18, 2019 MEETING

### **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Veterinary Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee met on December 18, 2019 at, 611 West Ottawa Street, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

### CALL TO ORDER

Renee Werth, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m.

#### ROLL CALL

- Members Present: Renee Werth, Public Member, Chairperson Peter Levine, Public Member Marianne Tear, MS, LVT
- Members Absent: Amy Hicswa, DVM Tracy Nyberg, DVM
- Staff Present:Laury Brown, Analyst, Compliance SectionLeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to approve the agenda, with a correction to the date of the Approval of Minutes to *September 19, 2019.* 

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to approve the September 19, 2019 meeting minutes as presented.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

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### **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### Janice Rae Bignall, LVT – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

#### Chad James Britten, DVM – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

#### Janet Elaine Figarra, DVM – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to discuss.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Martin P. McLaughlin, DVM – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken.	Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth
	Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Susan Renee Tavernier, DVM – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken.	Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth
	Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Laura Beth Witherell, DVM – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Levine, seconded by Tear, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

# Surinder Singh Khahra, DVM

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Levine, Tear, Werth Nays: None

# MOTION PREVAILED

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#### PUBLIC COMMENT

Dwight McNally, DVM, Full Board Chairman presented a Resolution to Renee Werth thanking her for her 8-years of service and commitment to the Board of Veterinary Medicine and dedication to the public.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held March 19, 2020, immediately following the full Board of Veterinary Medicine meeting scheduled to begin at 1:30 p.m. at, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level (UL), Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

#### ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Tear, seconded by Levine, to adjourn the meeting at 1:57 p.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on: June 18, 2020

Prepared by: LeAnn Payne, Board Support Bureau of Professional Licensing

December 20, 2020