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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE
OCTOBER 20, 2021, 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 October 20, 2021, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 5, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Jordan Kennedy, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 12:02 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Jordan Kennedy, Public Member, Chairperson
Nancy Frank, DVM, Alternate
Caitlin O'Rourke, Public Member
Joanna Pennebaker, LVT Attended remotely from the city of
Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan.

Members Absent: Amy Hicswa, DVM
Kevin Stachowiak, DVM

Staff Present: Laury Brown, Analyst, Compliance Section
LeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Frank, seconded by O'Rourke, to approve the agenda, as presented.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Pennebaker, to approve the June 17, 2021, meeting minutes as presented.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Consent Orders and Stipulations

Loren A. Brandt, DVM

Frank recused herself.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Pennebaker, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Ashley Taylor Scalf, LVT

MOTION by Frank, seconded by O'Rourke, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Elaine Mussarat Sheikh, DVM

Frank recused herself.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Pennebaker, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Spencer L. Vandenbrink, DVM

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Request for Dismissal

Joseph Kevin McKenna, DVM

Frank recused herself.

MOTION by Pennebaker, seconded by O'Rourke, to accept the Request for Dismissal.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Sandra L. Smith, DVM

Frank recused herself.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Pennebaker, to accept the Request for Dismissal.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Proposal for Decision

Patrick Howard Glidden, DVM

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Pennebaker, to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to accept in part and reject in part and table the matter to draft the DSC's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law finding additional violations of MCL 333.16221(a) and b(i).

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Mason Samson, DVM

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to accept the Proposal for Decision.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to discuss.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to place Respondent on probation for a minimum of one day, not to exceed six months. During the probationary period, Respondent must complete a minimum of six hours of pre-approved continuing education consisting of one hour in medical record keeping, one hour in veterinary law, one hour in veterinary ethics, and three hours in veterinary dentistry, including anesthesia, which will not count towards renewal requirements. Respondent is fined \$1,000.00 to be paid within six months. Failure to comply with terms will result in a minimum one-day suspension of license until compliant with order. Reinstatement is not automatic if license remains suspended for more than six months.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy
Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held December 15, 2021, 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 3, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by O'Rourke, seconded by Frank, to adjourn the meeting at 2:01 p.m.

A roll call vote was taken: Yeas: Frank, O'Rourke, Pennebaker, Kennedy

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on:
December 15, 2021

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

October 22, 2021