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BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
INFORMAL CONFERENCE
AUGUST 21, 2014
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
RICHMOND, VA

CALL TO ORDER: An Informal Conference Committee (IFC) of the Board was called to order at 10:13 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Kelly Gottschalk, DVM– Chair
Bayard Rucker, DVM

STAFF PRESENT:
Leslie Knachel, Executive Director
Terri Behr, Operations Manager
Brandy Gasparotto, Administrative Assistant
Anne Joseph, Administrative Proceedings Division
Amanda Blount, Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT:
Adam Gray
Bob Gray
Darryl Sarver
Scott Morgan
Todd Jones
Terry Kilgore, Esq.

MATTER SCHEDULED:
Billy Fuller, DVM
License No.: 0301007198
Case No.: 150652

DISCUSSION: Dr. Fuller was present in accordance with an Amended Notice of Informal Conference dated June30, 2014. Dr. Fuller was represented by counsel, Terry Kilgore, Esq. The Committee fully discussed the allegations contained in the notice with Dr. Fuller.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Rucker, the Informal Conference Committee recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Billy Fuller, DVM.** Additionally, it was moved that Leslie Knachel and Anne Joseph attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code,

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the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Based on the information in the investigative report and discussion with Dr. Fuller, the IFC voted to issue an Order to Dr. Fuller in which he will be reprimanded fined $5,000. The hearing adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

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Kelly Gottschalk, DVM - Chair

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Leslie Knachel, Executive Director

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CALL TO ORDER: An Informal Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 12:15 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kelly Gottschalk, Chair
Bayard Rucker, DVM

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie Knachel, Executive Director
Terri Behr, Operations Manager
Brandy Gasparotto, Administrative Assistant
Amanda Blount, Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT: John Conrad, Esq.
Michael Sanwald, DVM

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Jaime K. Pickett, DVM**
License No.: 0301201335
Case No.: 147502

DISCUSSION: Dr. Pickett was present in accordance with a notice of Informal Conference dated June 20, 2014. Dr. Pickett was represented by counsel, John Conrad, Esq. The Committee fully discussed the Compliance Report with Dr. Pickett.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Rucker, the Informal Conference Committee recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Jaime K. Pickett, DVM.** Additionally, it was moved that Amanda Blount and Terri Behr attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Based on the information in the Compliance Report and discussion with Dr. Pickett, the IFC voted to issue an Order to Dr. Pickett in which she will be fined

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$1000, her animal establishment will be subject to an unannounced inspection within 12 months and she cannot be the veterinarian in charge of any animal establishment in Virginia for 18 months. The hearing adjourned at 1:46 p.m.

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Kelly Gottschalk, DVM - Chair

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Leslie Knachel, Executive Director

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