President Herbert Justus, D.V.M., called the regular meeting of the North Carolina Veterinary Medical Board to order at 8:30 A.M. In attendance were Board members Drs. Amy Lewis, David Marshall, Richard Hawkins, Kenneth Padgett, Mrs. Nancy Robinson, R.V.T., and Ms. Amy Edwards. Also present were Board Attorney, Mr. George Hearn, and Executive Director, Mr. Thomas Mickey.

The Executive Director read the minutes of the August 27, 2004, meeting. On a motion made by Dr. Padgett, seconded by Dr. Hawkins, the minutes were approved as corrected.

The Investigator presented a report on his work since the last Board meeting. No further action was taken.

The Executive Director reported on activities of the Board office since the last meeting. No further action was taken.

The Executive Director distributed a financial report to the Members of the Board. Dr. Padgett made a motion to approve the report. Mrs. Robinson seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.
Report of Committee on Investigations No. 1.

03035-1-1 Harold Pearce, D.V.M. (Complaint of Mr. & Mrs. Fred Holt) – The Committee met with Mr. & Mrs. Holt in response to their request. After meeting with them, the Committee determined that it would let the previously issued letter of reprimand stand.

04024-1-1 Craig A. Corry, D.V.M. (Complaint by Ms. Peggy Leggett) – Disciplinary action, Letter of Reprimand and $500.00 civil monetary penalty.

04014-1-1 Diana Whittier Dudley, D.V.M. (Complaint by Mr. Edsel F. Roberts) – No response by Mr. Roberts, complaint dismissed, no probable cause.

04026-1-1 Craig A. Corry, D.V.M. (Complaint by Ms. Barbara Leonard) – Dismissed, no probable cause.

04020-1-1 John Schoolmeester, D.V.M. & Lori Sanderson, D.V.M. (Complaint by Ms. Melanie Howard) – Dismissed, no probable cause.

04028-1-1 William T. Dawkins, D.V.M. (Complaint by Mr. James A. Beaty, Jr.) – Continued.
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04032-1-1 Jon Christopher Dick, D.V.M. (Complaint by Ms. Pam Melton) – Dismissed, no probable cause.

Dr. Padgett made a motion to approve the Committee on Investigations Number 1 report. Dr. Lewis seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Report of Committee on Investigations No. 7.

04040-2-7 Benjamin L. Jones, D.V.M. & Katrina Ann Becker, D.V.M. (Board initiated complaint) – Disciplinary action, both Doctors are to receive a Letter of Reprimand, $500.00 civil monetary penalty and 20 additional hours of continuing education.

04037-2-7 Thomas Martin Daniel, Jr., D.V.M. & Alison Jane Morton, D.V.M. (Board initiated complaint) – Disciplinary action, both Doctors are to receive a Letter of Reprimand, $500.00 civil monetary penalty and 20 additional hours of continuing education.
04025-1-7  Jack V. Hill, D.V.M. (Complaint of Ms. Patricia A. Lambert) – Continued.


04047-2-7  Fernando Cardenas, D.V.M. and Elaine Mae Means, D.V.M. (Board initiated complaint) – Disciplinary action, Letter of Reprimand, $500.00 civil monetary penalty, and 20 additional hours of continuing education.

04045-2-7  Larry K. Watts, D.V.M. (Board initiated complaint) Disciplinary action, Letter of
Ms. Edwards made a motion to approve the Committee on Investigations Number 7 report. Dr. Hawkins seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Report of Committee on Investigations No. 8.

04034-2-8 Daniel P. Bowen, D.V.M. (Board initiated complaint) – Disciplinary action, Letter of Reprimand, $500.00 civil monetary penalty, and 20 additional hours of continuing education.

Mrs. Robinson made a motion to approve the Committee on Investigations Number 8 report. Dr. Marshall seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The Board discussed the recent “shot” (excluding rabies) clinics that have been taking place around the state. No further action was taken.
Dr. Justus appointed a Long Range Planning Committee consisting of Dr. Hawkins, Chairman, Mrs. Robinson and Ms. Edwards.

Upon a motion by Dr. Padgett, seconded by Dr. Lewis, the Board approved the actual expenses for this meeting.

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous vote upon a motion by Mrs. Robinson and seconded by Dr. Padgett at 11:05 A.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas M. Mickey
Executive Director