



## MEMORANDUM

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**DATE** January 23, 2013

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**TO** Veterinary Medical Board

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**FROM** Sue Geranen Executive Officer  
DCA/Veterinary Medical Board

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**SUBJECT** **Multidisciplinary Advisory Committee Report**

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**Background:**

A. Dr. Grant, Chair of the Multidisciplinary Advisory Committee (MDC), will provide an oral status report.

A.i. Cite and Fine. The MDC has submitted both proposed regulatory language and a new document – Cite and Fine Guidelines for review and discussion by the Board. Please let me know if you have any questions.

A. ii. Animal Rehabilitation. The MDC submitted a proposal that is recommending it be done under “direct” supervision of a licensed veterinarian. The Physical Therapy Association has submitted a letter and an alternate proposal based on the one from the MDC. They are fine with the MDC’s proposal and have no problem working under supervision, but they are asking the Board to consider allowing the licensed veterinarian to have the discretion of whether that supervision is direct or indirect.

**Action Requested:**

Discuss recommendations submitted by the MDC on both issues and also the proposal submitted by the Physical Therapy Association on animal rehabilitation and consider possible action.