MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA
VETERINARY MEDICAL BOARD

January 30-31, 2020

Department of Consumer Affairs
1747 N. Market Blvd.
1st Floor Hearing Room
Sacramento, California 95834

10:00 a.m. Thursday, January 30, 2020

1. Call to Order/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum

2. Introductions

3. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda
   Note: The Board may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. (Government Code Sections 11125, 11125.7(a).)

4. Review and Approval of Board Meeting Minutes
   A. October 9-11, 2019
   B. November 6, 2019

5. Report and Update from Department of Consumer Affairs

6. Review, Discussion, and Possible Action on Multidisciplinary Advisory Committee (MDC) Report – Jeff Pollard, DVM
   A. Overview of January 29, 2019 MDC Meeting


8. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on the Board’s Guidelines for Veterinarian Discussion of Cannabis Within the Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship

9. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on the Board’s Strategic Plan

10. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on Proposed Regulations
    A. Status Update on Pending Regulations
    B. Sections 2090-2096, Article 11, Division 20, Title 16 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR) Regarding Drug Compounding
    C. Section 2032.1, Article 4, Division 20, Title 16 of the CCR Regarding Veterinarian-Client-Patient Relationship and Informed Consent of a Client
D. Sections 2040 and 2041, Article 5, Division 20, Title 16 of the CCR Regarding Substantial Relationship and Rehabilitation Criteria to Comply with the Requirements of Assembly Bill (AB) 2138 (Chiu, Chapter 995, Statutes of 2018)
E. Section 2043, Article 5.5, Division 20, Title 16, of CCR Regarding Civil Penalties for Citation

11. Update, Discussion, and Possible Action on 2019-2020 Legislation
A. Animal Blood Banking Legislation
   1. AB 366 (Bloom, 2019) Animals: blood, blood components, and biologics
   2. Senate Bill (SB) 202 (Wilk, 2019) Animal blood donors
   3. Legislation Introduced or to be Introduced in 2020
B. AB 228 (Aguiar-Curry, 2019) Food, beverage, and cosmetic adulterants: industrial hemp products
C. SB 627 (Galgiani, 2019) Cannabis and cannabis products: medicinal use on an animal patient: veterinary medicine
D. Legislation Introduced or to be Introduced in 2020 Regarding the Board’s Sunset

12. Discussion and Possible Action on Proposed Amendments to Business and Professions Code Sections 4875.2 and 4875.6 Regarding Contesting a Citation and Procedure for Issuing a Citation

13. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding American Association of Veterinary State Boards
A. Call for Bylaws Amendments
B. Proposed Amendments to Model Regulations Regarding Appropriate Use of Opioids and Other Controlled Substances
C. Proposed Amendments to Model Regulations Regarding Scope of Practice for Veterinary Technicians and Veterinary Technologists
D. Resolution 2019-1 Regarding Regular Submission of Licensee Data
E. Nominations for the 2020-2021 Leadership Positions
F. Legal Counsel Funding Program

14. Recess until January 31, 2020, at 9:00 a.m.

9:00 a.m. Friday, January 31, 2020

15. Reconvene - Establishment of a Quorum

16. Special Order of Business
A. Petition for Termination of Probation – Joseph Bisignano, DVM, License No. 18138
B. Petition for Termination of Probation – Miguel Rivera, RVT, Registration No. 12349

CLOSED SESSION

17. Pursuant to Government Code Section 11126(c)(3), the Board Will Meet in Closed Session to Deliberate and Vote on the Above Petitions and Disciplinary Matters, Including Stipulations and Proposed Decisions

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18. Board President Report – Jaymie Noland, DVM

19. Registered Veterinary Technician Report – Jennifer Loredo, RVT

20. National Association Involvement Reports – Kathy Bowler
   A. International Council for Veterinary Assessment
   B. American Association of Veterinary State Boards Member and Program Services Think Tank

21. Executive Management Reports
   A. Joint Sunset Review Oversight
   B. Administration
   C. Examination
   D. Licensing
   E. Enforcement
   F. Probation
   G. Hospital Inspection
   H. Public Outreach

22. Future Agenda Items and Next Meeting Dates

23. Adjournment

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