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Veterinary Board Meeting Open Session Minutes

In accordance with the provisions of G.L. c. 30A § 20, the Board has convened a regular monthly meeting on November 13, 2025, in a virtual format.

INFORMATIONAL NOTE: All votes were taken by roll call.

Board members present: Dr. David Diamond; Dr. Stephanie Kube, Vice Chair; Dr. David Tubman, Secretary; Dr. Rachel Orłowski, Chair; Dr. Candace Sloane

Board Members absent:

DOL Staff present: Keith Gleason, Executive Director; Nirit Eriksson, Board Counsel; James Curley, Incoming Executive Director; Mike Ryan, Licensing Administrator; Stephen Pleva, Incoming Board Counsel

At 9:33am AM, Chair, Dr. Orłowski called the meeting to order, and the Executive Director noted the meeting was being recorded. Members and staff introduced themselves.

- **Review and approval of Prior Board Meeting Minutes:**

Minutes from the October 9th Board Meeting

MOTION by Dr. Diamond to approve. Dr. Tubman seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call Vote:

- Members in favor: Dr. Diamond, Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Orłowski
- Members opposed: None
- Motion Passed

- **Executive Director Report**

- James Curley was introduced as the incoming Executive Director
- Renewal Season is coming up in December

- **Legal Counsel Report**

- Board Counsel introduced Stephen Pleva as the Veterinary Board's incoming Board Counsel

- **Presentation in support of Petition for Reinstatement of Dr. Margo Roman (2267-VT-VT)**

- Dr. Roman delivered a statement in support of her petition to terminate the 2-year suspension imposed by the Board's Final Decision & Order in connection with Docket No. 2020-000574-IT-ENF. The Board thanked Dr. Roman for her presentation.

- **Discussion Items**

- **Temporary Permit Application (Dr. Vijaya Khanchandani)**

- MOTION by Dr. Diamond to approve. Dr. Kube seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call Vote:
 - Members in favor: Dr. Diamond, Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Orłowski
 - Members opposed: None
 - Motion Passed

- **Foreign Graduate Certificate and NAVLE Waiver Request (Dr. William Irving) (Limited Practitioner)**

- MOTION by Dr. Diamond to approve. Dr. Kube seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call Vote:
 - Members in favor: Dr. Diamond, Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Orłowski
 - Members opposed: None
 - Motion Passed

At 10:15am, Motion by Dr. Tubman to exit Executive Session and enter Quasi-Judicial Session to discuss disciplinary decisions pursuant to G.L c. 30A, § 18. Dr. Sloane seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call Vote:

- Members in favor: Dr. Diamond, Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Orłowski
 - Members opposed: None
 - Motion Passed

At 10:26, Motion by Dr. Orłowski to exit Quasi-Judicial session and enter closed Investigative Conference pursuant to G. L. C. 112, § 65C. Dr. Tubman seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call Vote:

- Members in favor: Dr. Diamond, Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Orłowski
 - Members opposed: None
 - Motion Passed

During Investigative Conference, the Board took the following actions:

Docket	Status
2025-000012-IT-ENF	Dismissed
2025-000300-IT-ENF	Dismissed With Advisory
2025-000729-IT-ENF	Referred to Prosecutions
2025-000739-IT-ENF	Referred to Prosecutions
2025-000743-IT-ENF	Dismissed
2025-000796-IT-ENF	Referred to Prosecutions
2025-000813-IT-ENF	Dismissed
2025-000823-IT-ENF	Dismissed
2025-000826-IT-ENF	Dismissed
2025-000831-IT-ENF	Referred to Prosecutions

- **Adjournment – the next scheduled meeting is December 11, 2025**

At 12:37pm, Dr. Tubman moved to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Orłowski seconded. The Chair called for a Roll Call vote:

- Members in favor: Dr. Kube, Dr. Sloane, Dr. Tubman, Dr. Diamond, Dr. Orłowski
- Members opposed: None
- Motion Passed

Items relied upon during the open meeting.

- Meeting Agenda
- Temporary Permit Application (Dr. Vijaya Khanchandani)
- Documents submitted in support of Dr. William Irving's waiver requests
- Letters submitted in connection with Dr. Roman's petition to terminate suspension

Meeting minutes signed by:



Executive Director