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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE VETERINARY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

WILLIAM H. MEYER, DVM RESPONDENT FINAL DECISION AND ORDER LS0605241VET

(DOE FILE # 03 VET 053)

The parties to this action for the purposes of sec. 227.53, Wis. Stats., are:

William H. Meyer DVM 3870 N 165<sup>th</sup> Street Brookfield, WI 53045

Veterinary Examining Board 1400 E. Washington Avenue P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708 8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing Division of Enforcement 1400 E. Washington Avenue P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708 8935

#### PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The parties in this matter, William H. Meyer, DVM, Respondent, and Pamela M. Stach, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Wisconsin Veterinary Examining Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. William H. Meyer, DVM, (D/O/B 9/11/34) is currently licensed to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Wisconsin under license #815 which was granted prior to 1965.
  - 2. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Veterinary Examining Board is 3870 North 165 th Street, Brookfield, WI 53045.
  - 3. At all times relevant to this action, Respondent was working as a veterinarian in Brookfield, Wisconsin.
  - 4. A formal investigation entitled 03 Vet 053 is pending before the Wisconsin Veterinary Examining Board.
- 5. The investigation includes allegations of failure by the Respondent to perform appropriate diagnostic tests and evaluations and a misdiagnosis of a medical condition in a 13 year old cat.
  - 6. Respondent is not currently engaged in the active practice of veterinary medicine and has sold his veterinary practice.
- 7. William H. Meyer, DVM, has cooperated throughout this investigation and, in order to resolve this matter, has voluntarily agreed to entry of this Order.

# **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. The Wisconsin Veterinary Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 453.04, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation and Order pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

### ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Stipulation of the parties, as attached hereto, is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that William H. Meyer, DVM, shall not practice under his current license to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Wisconsin after the effective date of this Order and shall not renew his license to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Wisconsin in the future.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the pending investigation 03 VET 053 is hereby closed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a summary suspension of Respondent's license. The Board in its discretion may in the alternative impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order.

This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 24th day of May, 2006.

# WISCONSIN VETERINARY EXAMINING BOARD

Larry D. Mahr A Member of the Board