

**MINUTES, North Carolina Veterinary Medical Board  
Raleigh, North Carolina, January 12, 2016**

At 3:05 p.m., President Kim D. Gemeinhardt, D.V.M. called to order an emergency meeting of the North Carolina Veterinary Medical Board. In attendance by telephone were Board members: Drs. Kim Gemeinhardt, William K. Dean, Dwight E. Cochran, Susan K. Bull, Jane A. Barber, Douglas Meckes, and Mrs. Katie O. Morgan. Also present by telephone was Board Attorney, Mr. George Hearn. Executive Director, Mr. Thomas Mickey and Deputy Director Jonathan Loftis were present as well.

Dr. Gemeinhardt reviewed with the Board the Governor's and the North Carolina Board of Ethics' statement on recognizing and avoiding conflicts of interest.

The Board reviewed the Consent Order the Board entered into with Paula K. Bullock, DVM to resolve complaints # 2014037-1 (Mr. Blake Barrington), #2014026-2 (Ms. Shelley Parisi Reaves), and #2014053-2 (Ms. Elizabeth Hathaway). The Order called for an active suspension of Dr. Bullock's veterinary license starting on February 1, 2016. Jeremy Browner, Esq. communicated by email to Mr. Hearn a request on Dr. Bullock for a delay of the active suspension until April or May 2016. Following

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discussion and a motion by Dr. Gemeinhardt, seconded by Dr. Meckes, the Board unanimously voted to deny the request.

The Board having no further business, upon motion of Dr. Cochran, seconded by Dr. Barber, the meeting was adjourned at 3:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas M. Mickey  
Executive Director