

1 Senator Vickerman from the Committee on Agriculture,  
2 Veterans and Gaming, to which was referred

3 S.F. No. 1991: A bill for an act relating to the military;  
4 clarifying the pay differential law for state employees who are  
5 ordered to active military service; amending Minnesota Statutes  
6 2004, sections 43A.183; 192.261, subdivision 1.

7 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill  
8 do pass and be placed on the Consent Calendar. Report adopted.

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*Jim Vickerman*  
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(Committee Chair)

April 6, 2005.....  
(Date of Committee recommendation)

1 Senator Vickerman from the Committee on Agriculture,  
2 Veterans and Gaming, to which was referred

3 S.F. No. 554: A bill for an act relating to agriculture;  
4 excluding noninvasive floating of horses' teeth from the  
5 definition of veterinary medicine practice; amending Minnesota  
6 Statutes 2004, section 156.12, subdivision 1.

7 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill  
8 be amended as follows:

9 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

10 "Section 1. [156.075] [REQUIREMENT FOR EQUINE TEETH  
11 FLOATERS.]

12 Subdivision 1. [DEFINITIONS.] For purposes of this section  
13 the following terms have the meanings given them.

14 (a) "Floating equine teeth" means:

15 (1) removal of enamel points from teeth with handheld,  
16 nonmotorized, nonair-powered files or rasps;

17 (2) reestablishing normal molar table angles and freeing up  
18 lateral excursion and other normal movements of the mandible;

19 (3) shaping the lingual aspect of the lower arcades and the  
20 buccal aspect of the upper arcades to a rounded smooth surface;  
21 and

22 (4) removing points from the buccal aspect of the upper  
23 arcade and the lingual aspect of the lower arcade.

24 (b) "Indirect supervision" means the attending veterinarian  
25 or veterinarian who regularly provides veterinary care to the  
26 horse or horses, has given oral or written instructions for  
27 treatment of the patient, and is readily available by telephone  
28 or other form of immediate communication. The veterinarian must  
29 be currently licensed under this chapter.

30 Subd. 2. [SERVICES.] A person may perform floating equine  
31 teeth services under indirect supervision."

32 Delete the title and insert:

33 "A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring  
34 equine teeth floaters to have indirect supervision; proposing  
35 coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 156."

36 And when so amended the bill do pass. Amendments adopted.  
37 Report adopted.

38 *Jim Vickerman*  
39 .....  
40 (Committee Chair)

41 April 11, 2005.....  
42 (Date of Committee recommendation)

1 Senator Vickerman from the Committee on Agriculture,  
2 Veterans and Gaming, to which was referred

3 S.F. No. 1218: A memorial resolution asking the residents  
4 of Minnesota for tolerance of different views on animal  
5 agriculture production practices; making 2005 the year the  
6 Minnesota feedlot war ended, and a new era beginning for  
7 Minnesota livestock farmers characterized by peace, love,  
8 harmony, and acceptance of diversity.

9 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the  
10 resolution be amended as follows:

11 Page 1, delete lines 8 to 26

12 Page 2, delete lines 1 to 23 and insert:

13 "WHEREAS, Minnesota has a diverse livestock production  
14 system; and

15 WHEREAS, Minnesota livestock farmers and related  
16 agricultural processing benefits the state's economy by  
17 employing over 200,000 people and generating over  
18 \$28,000,000,000 in economic value to the state; and

19 WHEREAS, the "Minnesota feedlot wars" started around 1985  
20 and have continued for approximately 20 years; and

21 WHEREAS, some have expended time, energy, and resources  
22 during the last 20 years that has been channeled into  
23 criticizing and tearing down someone else's preferred method of  
24 livestock production; and

25 WHEREAS, Minnesota has many opportunities for residents to  
26 learn about the economic and environmental benefits of livestock  
27 produced on a broad range of diverse systems, ranging from  
28 pasture to confinement; and

29 WHEREAS, high livestock and human populations peacefully  
30 coexist in close proximity to each other in much of the world,  
31 such as the United Kingdom, Denmark, the Netherlands, and  
32 Lancaster County, Pennsylvania; NOW, THEREFORE,

33 BE IT RESOLVED, that 2005 be known as the year that the  
34 Minnesota feedlot wars ended and the mark of the beginning of a  
35 new era that is characterized by peace, harmony, love, and  
36 acceptance of diversity with regard to livestock farmers in  
37 Minnesota.

38 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, all Minnesotans should adopt a  
39 respectful, encouraging, and appreciative attitude toward

1 Minnesota livestock farmers.

2 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, livestock farmers should renew and  
3 intensify their efforts to be good neighbors and good stewards  
4 of our environment by carefully following all federal, state,  
5 and local regulations.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, rural residents should renew and  
7 intensify their efforts to be good neighbors, and accept,  
8 encourage, and support the livestock farmers in their area.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that time, energy, and resources  
10 could be more productively channeled into promoting a person's  
11 preferred method of livestock production rather than directed  
12 toward criticizing another person's preferred method of  
13 livestock production."

14 Delete the title and insert:

15 "A memorial resolution asking the residents of Minnesota  
16 for tolerance of different views on animal agriculture  
17 production practices; making 2005 the year the Minnesota feedlot  
18 war ended, and the mark of the beginning of a new era for  
19 Minnesota livestock farmers characterized by peace, love,  
20 harmony, and acceptance of diversity."

21 And when so amended the resolution do pass. Amendments  
22 adopted. Report adopted.

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24 (Committee Chair)

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26 April 6, 2005.....  
27 (Date of Committee recommendation)

1 Senator Vickerman from the Committee on Agriculture,  
2 Veterans and Gaming, to which were referred the following  
3 appointments:

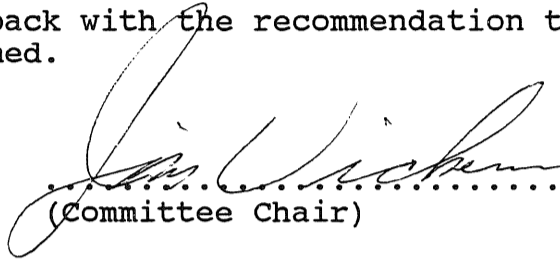
4 BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

5 Steve Brake  
6 Paul Fitzsimmons  
7 John Whitten

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11 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the  
12 appointments be confirmed.

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16 (Committee Chair)  
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18 April 11, 2005.....  
19 (Date of Committee recommendation)

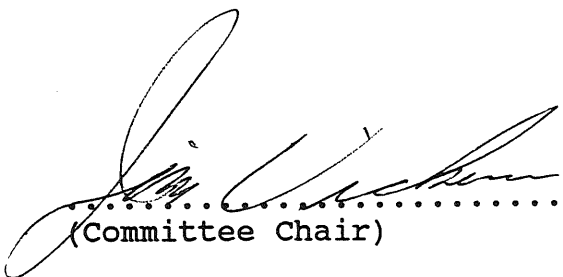
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21 Senator Johnson, D.E. moved that the foregoing committee  
22 report be laid on the table. The motion prevailed.

1 Senator Vickerman from the Committee on Agriculture,  
2 Veterans and Gaming, to which was re-referred

3 S.F. No. 876: A bill for an act relating to drainage;  
4 requiring a study.

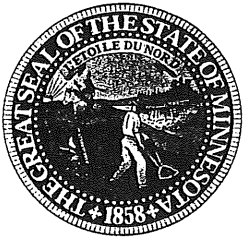
5 Reports the same back with the recommendation that the bill  
6 do pass and be re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Report  
7 adopted.

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(Committee Chair)

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April 11, 2005.....  
(Date of Committee recommendation)



# STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of Governor Tim Pawlenty

130 State Capitol ♦ 75 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard ♦ Saint Paul, MN 55155

December 30, 2004

The Honorable James P. Metzen  
President of the Senate  
322 State Capitol  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Senator Metzen:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

**Board of Animal Health:**

Mr. Paul Fitzsimmons, 54440 148<sup>th</sup> Street, Good Thunder, Minnesota 56037, in the county of Blue Earth, effective October 21, 2003, for a 4-year term that expires on January 1, 2007.

Mr. Steve Brake, 12171 Erickson Avenue, Wilmont, Minnesota 56185, in the county of Nobles, effective October 21, 2003, for a 4-year term that expires on January 1, 2007.

Sincerely,

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Tim Pawlenty  
Governor

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Enclosures

# STATE of MINNESOTA

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DEPARTMENT

TIM PAWLENTY  
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## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

# PAUL FITZSIMMONS

54440 148<sup>th</sup> Street  
Good Thunder, Minnesota 56037  
County of Blue Earth  
Congressional District One

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

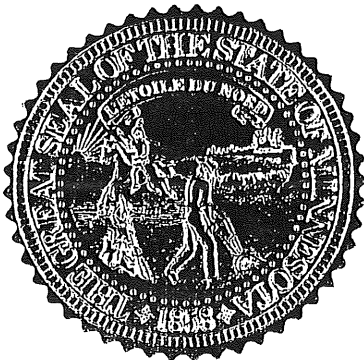
*Livestock Producer Member*

## BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

Effective: October 21, 2003  
Term Expires: January 1, 2007

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, October 14, 2003.



Replacing: Sharon Baker

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Governor

Handwritten signature of Mary Kiffmeyer in black ink.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

All information on this form is available to the public upon request.

Agency Name: \* Minnesota Board of Animal Health  
(Enter name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: Board member  
(Enter type of membership position or state "member" if no specific requirements)

Applicant Name: \* Paul Fitz Simmons  
(First Name) (Last Name)

Applicant Address: \* 54440 148 st Good Thunder MN 56037 Blue Earth  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip) (County)

Daytime Phone: \* 507-524-4511 E-MAIL: \* Paulfitz@proteinSources.com

Evening Phone: 507-278-4140 State Legislative District: 29B U.S. Congressional District: 1

\* Selected information will appear on the Secretary of State's web site: www.sos.state.mn.us

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and is sought for the purpose of compiling the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 15.0597, subdivision 7.

Gender:  Female  Male  
Political Party:  Green  Democrat-Farmer-Labor  Independence  Republican  None or Other  
Race/National Origin:  African American  American Indian  Asian/Pacific  Caucasian  Hispanic  Other

Disabled:  Yes  No

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION/INTEREST

Minnesota Statutes 15.0597 requires that the application include "a statement that the nominee satisfies any legally prescribed requirements and any other information the nominating person feels would be helpful to the appointing authority."

I have been active in livestock production in Minnesota for 24 years. In the past I have worked to secure state help in PRU programs and on other issues facing animal agriculture in Minnesota.  
(may continue on the back or on attached sheets)

Did the appointing authority ask you to submit this application? YES  NO

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Paul Fitz Simmons 2-23-03  
(Signature of Applicant) (Date)

If applicant is being nominated by another person or group, signature indicates consent to nomination. You will not receive acknowledgement of this application but the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired.

MAIL THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: Secretary of State, Open Appointments  
180 State Office Building, 100 Constitution Ave.  
St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

SUBMIT IN PERSON TO: Room 180, State Office Building. OR BY FAX: (651) 296-9073 Phone: (651) 297-5845

On request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

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## **Paul W. FitzSimmons**

54440 148<sup>th</sup> St  
Good Thunder, MN 56037

Work Phone: (507) 524-4511  
Home Phone: (507) 278-4146  
Email: paulfitz@protiensources.com

### **Objective**

To secure a service position on the Minnesota State Board of Animal Health

### **Specific Skills**

- Excellent interpersonal and verbal communicator
- Confident and experienced public speaker
- Effective and practiced conflict mediator
- Able to assess situations realistically
- Self-assured decision maker
- Creative and innovative thinker

### **Education**

1976 – 1979                      University of Minnesota, Waseca                      Waseca, MN

- Associate degree in Applied Science

### **Experience**

2002 – Present                      President, Integrity Foods Systems, LLP                      Mapleton, MN

- Organize quarterly meetings
- Develop strategies for keeping up with pork industry standards and technology

2001 – Present                      Board Member, NPPA Pork Checkoff Committee                      Des Moines, IA

- Work as a team to develop an effective and appropriate fee scale for the Pork Checkoff Program
- Participate in quarterly group conference calls

1999 – Present                      Manager/Co-Owner, Protein Sources, LLP                      Mapleton, MN

- Manage over 30,000 sows for outside pork production operations
- Serve as a contact person within the company
- Analyze facility production problems and recommend effective courses of action
- Handle employee relation issues daily
- Responsible for all contract negotiation and new business acquisition

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1998 – 2000

Minnesota Psudorabies Advisory Board

St. Paul, MN

- Helped to develop the Minnesota Psudorabies Eradication Plan

1994 – 2000

Board Member, Blue Earth County Pork Producers Good Thunder, MN

- Served as county President 1999 – 2000
- Organized and led producer meetings and discussions
- Addressed local and state industry issues

1987 – 2001

Board Member, Camalot Breeders, LLP

Welcome, MN

- Worked as a team to develop a gilt multiplication program
- Oversaw the construction and operation of a gilt multiplication facility

1979 – 1988

Sales Agent, Pig Improvement Company

Austin, MN

- Promoted various PIC products

1979 – 1999

Partner/Co-Owner, Robert FitzSimmons & Sons

Good Thunder, MN

- Owned and operated 1500 sow farrow to finish hog production facility
- Performed daily production and record keeping responsibilities

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## Personal Biography

Paul FitzSimmons has been extremely active in the hog production industry throughout his life. He grew up in southern Minnesota and graduated from the University of Minnesota, Waseca with an associate degree in Applied Science. He has actively participated in and worked with dozens of pork related teams, boards, and groups, including the Minnesota Pork Producers Association, the National Pork Producers Association, the Minnesota Psudorabies Advisory Board, and Pig Improvement Company. Paul is currently co-owner of Protein Sources, LLP, a very successful hog management firm based in Mapleton, MN, and continues to play a large role in Robert FitzSimmons & Sons, a family owned production facility.

Paul lives near Good Thunder, MN with his wife, Gina, and his three daughters, Leah, Laura, and Emily

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## Public Official Information

### Animal Health Board

Name: Fitzsimmons, Paul  
 Occupation: Ag Consultant  
 Business Address: 502 Silver St  
 Mapleton, MN 56065  
 Employer Name: Self employed  
 Appointment Date: 10/21/03

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## Sources of Compensation

Applicable categories

Name of Source	Director	Officer	Owner	Member	Partner	Employer	Employee	Honorari
Protein Sources					X			
Protein Sources Mill, LLC					X			
Robert Fitzsimmons & Son, LLP					X			

## Securities

None Reported

## Real Property

County	Street Address and Municipality or Section, Township and Range	Own	Mortgage	Contract to buy, for deed	option to buy, \$2500	option to buy, \$50,000	Acreage
Wright		No	Yes	No	No	No	
Blue Earth		No	Yes	No	No	No	

## Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

None Reported

# STATE of MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE



DEPARTMENT

TIM PAWLENTY  
GOVERNOR

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

### STEVE BRAKE

12171 Erickson Avenue  
Wilmont, Minnesota 56185  
County of Nobles  
Congressional District One

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

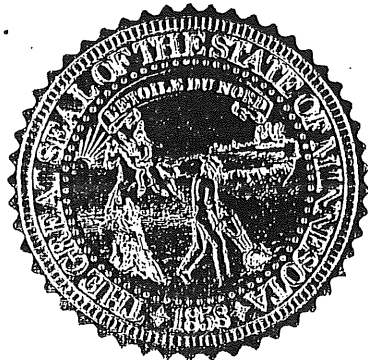
*Livestock Producer Member*

### BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

Effective: October 21, 2003  
Term Expires: January 1, 2007

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, October 14, 2003.



Replacing: Todd Searles

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Governor

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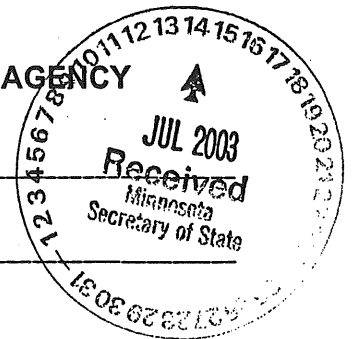
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Secretary of State

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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY

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Agency Name: \* Minnesota Board of Animal Health  
(Enter name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: Board member  
(Enter type of membership position or state "member" if no specific requirements)

Applicant Name: \* Steven Brake  
(First Name) (Last Name)

Applicant Address: \* 12171 Erickson Ave Wilmont MN 56185 Nobles  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip) (County)

Daytime Phone: \* 507-360-7135 E-MAIL: \* sbrake@frontiernet.net

Evening Phone: 507-472-8775 State Legislative District: 22 U.S. Congressional District: 1st

\* Selected information will appear on the Secretary of State's web site: [www.sos.state.mn.us](http://www.sos.state.mn.us)

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

The following information is optional and is sought for the purpose of compiling the annual report on the open appointments process pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 15.0597, subdivision 7.

Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Political Party: <input type="checkbox"/> Green	Race/National Origin: <input type="checkbox"/> African American
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Democrat-Farmer-Labor	<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian
	<input type="checkbox"/> Independence	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Republican	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Caucasian
Disabled: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> None or Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION/INTEREST

Minnesota Statutes 15.0597 requires that the application include "a statement that the nominee satisfies any legally prescribed requirements and any other information the nominating person feels would be helpful to the appointing authority."

I am a grain and livestock producer in SW MN. I have been raising hogs and cattle for 25 years. I am currently President of the MN State Cattlemen's Assoc.

(may continue on the back or on attached sheets)

Did the appointing authority ask you to submit this application? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO X

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

Steve Brake 7/8/03  
(Signature of Applicant) (Date)

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# Public Official Information

## Animal Health Board

Name: Brake, Steve

Occupation:

Business

Address:

Employer

Name:

Appointment Date: 10/21/03

## Sources of Compensation

None Reported

## Securities

None Reported

## Real Property

None Reported

## Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

None Reported

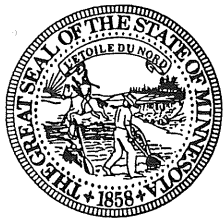
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# STATE OF MINNESOTA

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130 State Capitol ♦ 75 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. ♦ Saint Paul, MN 55155

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

October 14, 2003

**Contact:** Leslie Kupchella

651-296-0001

## GOVERNOR PAWLENTY APPOINTS TWO TO THE BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

**Saint Paul** – Governor Tim Pawlenty today announced the appointment of Steven Brake and Paul FitzSimmons to the Board of Animal Health.

Steven Brake, of Wilmont, is a cattle and swine producer who has been farming since 1979. He currently farms 1500 acres in Nobles County. He also serves as President of the Minnesota State Cattlemen's Association and serves on the Board of Directors of the National Cattlemen's Beef Association. He is appointed to a four-year term ending January 1, 2007. He holds one of the board positions for a livestock producer and replaces Todd Searles on the board.

Paul FitzSimmons, of Good Thunder, is a swine producer who has been farming since 1979. He currently owns over 4000 head of sows in Blue Earth County. He is also a partner in Protein Sources, LLP, which is a farm management company in Mapleton. He is appointed to a four-year term ending January 1, 2007. He holds one of the board positions for a livestock producer and replaces Sharon Baker on the board.

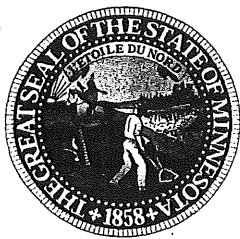
The Board of Animal Health oversees numerous voluntary and mandatory programs that focus on controlling and eradicating animal diseases in Minnesota. The Board consists of five members appointed by the Governor.

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# STATE OF MINNESOTA

## Office of Governor Tim Pawlenty

130 State Capitol ♦ 75 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard ♦ Saint Paul, MN 55155

February 28, 2005

The Honorable James P. Metzen  
President of the Senate  
322 State Capitol  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Senator Metzen:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

### Board of Animal Health:

**John Whitten**, 707 Nissen Street, Alexandria, Minnesota, 56308, in the county of Douglas, effective March 7, 2005, for a four-year term that expires on January 5, 2009.

Sincerely,

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Tim Pawlenty  
Governor

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# STATE of MINNESOTA

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DEPARTMENT

TIM PAWLENTY  
GOVERNOR

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

# JOHN WHITTEN

707 Nissen Street  
Alexandria, MN 56308  
County of Douglas  
Congressional District Seven

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

*Veterinarian Member*

## BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

Effective: March 7, 2005  
Term Expires: January 5, 2009

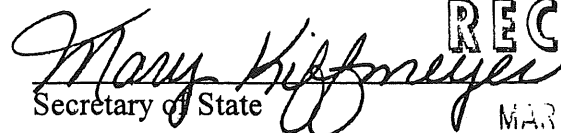
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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, February 28, 2005.



Replacing: reappointment

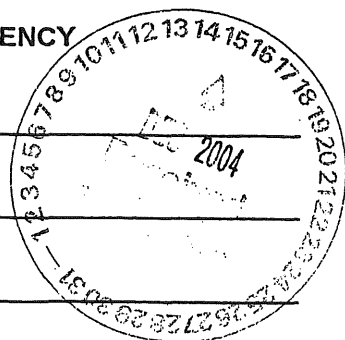
  
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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OPEN APPOINTMENTS APPLICATION FOR SERVICE ON STATE AGENCY  
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MINNESOTA BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

Agency Name: \* (Enter name of board, council, commission or task force to which you are applying.)

Position Sought: BOARD MEMBER  
(Enter type of membership position or state "member" if no specific requirements)

Applicant Name: \* JOHN WHITTEN  
(First Name) (Last Name)

Applicant Address: \* 707 NISSEN ST ALEXANDRIA MN 56308 DOUGLAS  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip) (County)

Day Phone: \* 320-762-8112 E-MAIL: \* jpw29@rea-alp.com  
Evening Phone: 320-759-0752 State Legislative District: 10 U.S. Congressional District: 07

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STATISTICAL INFORMATION

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Political Party:  Green  Democrat-Farmer-Labor  Republican  None or Other  
Race/National Origin:  African American  American Indian  Asian/Pacific  Caucasian  Hispanic  Other  
Disabled:  Yes  No

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATION/INTEREST

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- licensed and certified veterinarian in the state of Minnesota seeking  
to serve a term as a veterinary member of the Board of Animal Health  
years of previous experience

(may continue on the back or on attached sheets)

Did the appointing authority ask you to submit this application? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

I, the undersigned, hereby state that I satisfy, to the best of my knowledge, all legally prescribed qualifications for the position sought.

John Whitten, DVM (Signature of Applicant) 12-10-04 (Date)

If applicant is being nominated by another person or group, signature indicates consent to nomination. You will not receive an acknowledgement of this application but the appointing authority will notify you if an interview is desired.

MAIL THIS COMPLETED APPLICATION TO: Secretary of State, Open Appointments  
180 State Office Building, 100 Constitution Ave.  
St. Paul, MN 55155-1299

SUBMIT IN PERSON TO: Room 180, State Office Building. OR BY FAX: (651) 296-9073 Phone: (651) 297-5845

On request, this application will be made available in alternative format (for example, braille, large print, audio tape, or computer disk.)

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**John P. Whitten DVM**

707 Nissen St.  
Alexandria, MN 56308  
320-759-0752

Seeking reappointment to the Board of Animal Health

**SUMMARY**

I feel qualified and justified in seeking reappointment to the Board of Animal Health. I have a strong desire to serve the veterinary profession and the Board and have enjoyed the challenges in filling the past term. I have gained valuable experience in understanding the function of the Board and knowledge of ongoing issues we face. With wisdom, I will continue in leadership service to the Board attending to current and future state, interstate, national and global animal health issues and the decision making opportunities.

**WORK HISTORY**

- 1990 - present*     *Owner / Partner - Alexandria Veterinary Clinic, PA - Alexandria, MN.*  
Managing aspects of the business and mixed animal clinical practice and regulatory work.
- 1988 - 1990*     *Associate Veterinarian - Alexandria Veterinary Clinic, PA - Alexandria, MN.*  
Mixed animal clinical practice and regulatory work.
- 1982 - 1988*     *Associate Veterinarian - Sauk Centre Veterinary Clinic - Sauk Centre, MN.*  
Mixed animal clinical practice and regulatory work.
- 1981 - 1982*     *Associate Veterinarian - Princeton Animal Hospital - Princeton, IL.*  
Mixed animal clinical practice and regulatory work.

**EDUCATION**

- 1978 - 1981*     Doctor of Veterinary Medicine with Honors from the College of Veterinary Medicine at Michigan State University - East Lansing, MI.
- 1975 - 1977*     Worked at and took required veterinary classes at Michigan State University - East Lansing, MI.
- 1970 - 1974*     Bachelor of Science in Zoology from the University of Michigan - Ann Arbor, MI.

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# *NEWS RELEASE*

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**  
February 28, 2005

**Contact:** Brian McClung  
(651) 296-0001

## **GOVERNOR PAWLENTY APPOINTS WHITTEN TO THE BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH**

**Saint Paul** –Governor Tim Pawlenty today announced the reappointment of Dr. John Whitten to the Board of Animal Health.

Whitten, of Alexandria, is an owner and partner in the Alexandria Veterinary Clinic P.A. He has been a licensed veterinarian in Minnesota for over twenty-two years. Whitten received a B.S. in Zoology from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and a D.V.M. from the College of Veterinary Medicine at Michigan State University in East Lansing. He is appointed to a Board position for a veterinarian and will serve a four-year term which ends January 5, 2009. Whitten first joined the Board in 2002, and is being reappointed to his second term.

The Board of Animal Health oversees numerous voluntary and mandatory programs that focus on controlling and eradicating animal diseases in Minnesota. The Board consists of five members appointed by the Governor.

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## Public Official Information

### Animal Health Board

Name: Whitten, John  
 Occupation: Veterinarian  
 Business Address: 710 3rd Ave W  
 Address: Alexandria, MN 56308  
 Employer Name: Alexandria Veterinary Clinic PA  
 Appointment Date: 03/07/05

## Sources of Compensation

Applicable categories

Name of Source	Director	Officer	Owner	Member	Partner	Employer	Employee	Honorariu
Alexandria Veterinary Clinic PA						X		
AVC Bldg Partnership						X		

## Securities

Name of Securities  
 Alexandria Veterinary Clinic PA  
 Pro Health Feeds, Inc

## Real Property

County	Street Address and Municipality or Section, Township and Range	Own	Mortgage	Contract to for deed	option to buy, \$2500	option to buy, \$50,000	Acreage
Douglas	710 3rd Ave W Alexandria	No	No	No	No	No	

## Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

None Reported

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\*\*LINKS\*\*

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# APPOINTMENT LETTER FOR SENATE CONFIRMATION

FILE NUMBER **040**

REPORTED IN THE SENATE JOURNAL **4/11/2005**

APPOINTMENT TO THE **Department of Veterans Affairs**

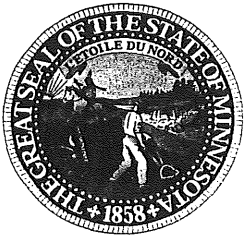
APPOINTEE AND TERM:

**Clark Dyrud**

**3/28/2005-1/1/2007**

REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON **Agriculture, Veterans and Gaming**





# STATE OF MINNESOTA

## Office of Governor Tim Pawlenty

130 State Capitol ♦ 75 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard ♦ Saint Paul, MN 55155

March 24, 2005

The Honorable James Metzen  
President of the Minnesota Senate  
322 State Capitol  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Senator Metzen:

The following appointment is hereby respectfully submitted to the Senate for confirmation as required by law:

**Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs**

Mr. Clark Dyrud, 5501 Humboldt Circle, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55419,  
in the county of Hennepin, effective March 28, 2005, for a term that expires  
on January 1, 2007.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Pawlenty".

Tim Pawlenty  
Governor

Enclosure

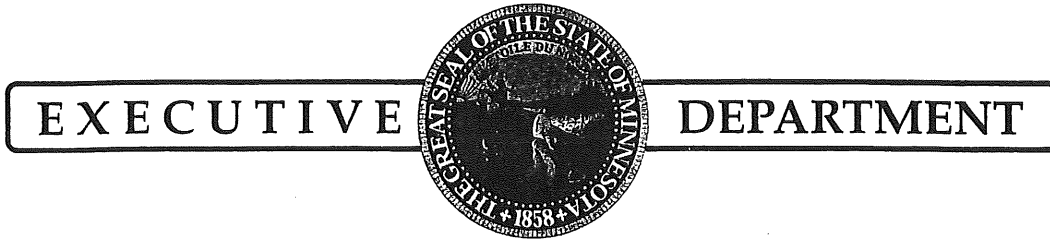
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GOVERNOR

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

### CLARK DYRUD

5501 Humboldt Circle  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55419  
County of Hennepin  
Congressional District Five

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment and ability, I have appointed and commissioned you to have and to hold the said office of:

*Commissioner*

### MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Effective: March 28, 2005  
Term Expires: January 1, 2007

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, March 24, 2005.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Pawlenty".

Governor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Kippmeyer".

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Replacing: Jeff Olson

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**Clark Dyrud**  
5501 Humboldt Circle  
Minneapolis, MN 55419

Home: (612) 825-6364  
Work: (651) 296-2784  
clark.dyrud@state.mn.us

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**Objective** Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs

**Experience**

- 2004 - Present Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs  
**Director of Veterans Programs**
- 1985 - 2004 Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs  
**Claims Division Supervisor**
- 1981-1985 Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs  
**Fargo Branch Office Supervisor**
- 1980-1981 Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs  
**Security at Minnesota Veterans Home**
- 1976-1980 Northwestern Hospital in Thief River Falls, MN  
**Community Services Coordinator - Psychiatric Unit**
- 1973 - 1976 Pennington County Thief River Falls, MN  
**Pennington County Veterans Service Officer**

**Education**

- 1986 - 1988 Metropolitan State University St. Paul, MN
  - Management major
- 1973 - 1975 Northland Community College Thief River Falls, MN
  - A.A., Associate of Arts Degree

**Military**

- 1966 - 1968 United States Army
  - Served as squad leader in a mechanized infantry unit in Vietnam
  - Received the Purple Heart for wounds received in Vietnam

**Organizations**

Member: American Legion, Disabled American Veterans (DAV), Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH), Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

Associate Member: National Association of County Veterans Service Officers (NACVSO)

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## Public Official Information

### Department of Veterans Affairs

Name: Dyrud, Clark  
 Occupation: Commissioner  
 Business Address: State Veterans Service Bldg  
 20 W 12th St  
 St Paul, MN 55155  
 Employer Name: Minn. Department of Veterans Affairs  
 Appointment Date: 03/28/05

## Sources of Compensation

### Applicable categories

<b>Name of Source</b>	<b>Director</b>	<b>Officer</b>	<b>Owner</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Partner</b>	<b>Employer</b>	<b>Employee</b>	<b>Honorarium</b>
Department of Veterans Affairs							X	

## Securities

**Name of Securities**  
 Fidelity Diversified International Fund  
 Janus Twenty Fund  
 Vanguard Institutional Index Fund Plus

## Real Property

None Reported

## Pari-Mutuel Horse Racing Interests

None Reported

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# NEWS RELEASE

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**  
March 24, 2005

**Contact:** Brian McClung  
(651) 296-0001

## **GOVERNOR PAWLENTY APPOINTS COMBAT-WOUNDED VETERAN CLARK DYRUD AS COMMISSIONER OF VETERANS AFFAIRS** *~ Vietnam Veteran has over 24 years of service in the Veterans Affairs Department ~*

**St. Paul** – Governor Tim Pawlenty today named Clark Dyrud Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs, effective March 28, 2005. Dyrud currently serves as Director of Veterans Programs with the Minnesota Department of Veteran Affairs.

“The 460,000 veterans in our state have made tremendous sacrifices for our freedoms,” Governor Pawlenty said. “With the appointment of Clark Dyrud, these patriots will have a tireless and passionate advocate to champion their interests and serve their needs.”

“Governor Pawlenty is a strong supporter and a true friend of veterans in our state,” said Dyrud. “It is a tremendous honor to serve the Governor and continue my lifelong passion of service to my fellow veterans in this important role.”

Dyrud, 58, resides in Minneapolis and has served the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs more than 24 years. Most recently as Director of Veterans Programs, Dyrud provided supervision of claims and benefit services as well as assistance to 87 county veteran service offices in the state.

Dyrud grew up on a farm north of Thief River Falls. He was educated in a one-room school house in his primary years. After graduating from high school in 1966, Dyrud volunteered for the draft and then volunteered for duty in Vietnam.

Dyrud served in Vietnam from 1967 to 1968 as a squad leader (sergeant) in a mechanized infantry unit. While serving in Vietnam, he was wounded in combat. After a month in a field hospital, followed by a month in recuperation, he returned to the field. Dyrud received a Purple Heart for his wounds received. He was discharged from the U.S. Army in 1968.

Dyrud began his work with veterans in 1973, when he took the position of Pennington County Veterans Service Officer. In 1976, he was named Community Service Coordinator in the Psychiatric Unit of Northwestern Hospital in Thief River Falls. In 1980, Dyrud joined the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs, taking a security position for the Minnesota Veterans' Homes. In 1981, Dyrud was appointed Supervisor of the Department's Fargo Branch Office.

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From 1985 to 2004 Dyrud served as Claims Division Supervisor of the Department's Ft. Snelling Office. In 2004, he was named Director of Veterans Programs. In this position, Dyrud provided supervision of claims and benefit services as well as assistance to Minnesota's 87 county veteran service offices.

Dyrud is a member of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Disabled American Veterans, and the Military Order of the Purple Heart. He received an A.A. degree from Northland Community College in Thief River Falls. Dyrud also attended Metropolitan State University in St. Paul. Dyrud and his wife, Marilynn O'Donnell, reside in south Minneapolis.

The Commissioner of Veteran Affairs reports to the Governor and receives a salary of \$108,000 per year. The Department has an annual budget of over \$7 million and serves veterans in securing all state and federal benefits provided by law.

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1                                   A bill for an act  
2           relating to drainage; requiring a study.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:  
4           Section 1. [DRAINAGE SYSTEM STUDY.]  
5           The Board of Water and Soil Resources shall conduct an  
6 implementation assessment of public drainage system buffers and  
7 their use, maintenance, and benefits. The assessment must be  
8 done in consultation with farm groups, watershed districts, soil  
9 and water conservation districts, counties, and conservation  
10 organizations, as well as federal agencies implementing  
11 voluntary buffer programs. The board shall report the results  
12 to the senate and house of representatives committees with  
13 jurisdiction over drainage systems by January 15, 2006.

1 Senator ..... moves to amend S.F. No. 554 as follows:

2 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

3 "Section 1. [156.075] [~~SEPARATE LICENSE~~ REQUIREMENT FOR  
4 EQUINE TEETH FLOATERS.]

5 Subdivision 1. [DEFINITIONS.] For purposes of this section  
6 the following terms have the meanings given them.

7 (a) "Floating equine teeth" means:

8 (1) removal of enamel points from teeth with handheld,  
9 nonmotorized, nonair-powered files or rasps;

10 (2) reestablishing normal molar table angles and freeing up  
11 lateral excursion and other normal movements of the mandible;

12 (3) shaping the lingual aspect of the lower arcades and the  
13 buccal aspect of the upper arcades to a rounded smooth surface;  
14 and

15 (4) removing points from the buccal aspect of the upper  
16 arcade and the lingual aspect of the lower arcade.

17 (b) "Indirect supervision" means the attending veterinarian  
18 or veterinarian who regularly provides veterinary care to the  
19 horse or horses, has given oral or written instructions for  
20 treatment of the patient, and is readily available by telephone  
21 or other form of immediate communication. The veterinarian must  
22 be currently licensed under this chapter.

23 Subd. 2. [~~LICENSE~~.] (a) Application for an equine teeth  
24 floater license must be made in writing to the board on a form  
25 furnished by the board, accompanied by the following:

26 (1) proof of current certification from the International  
27 Association of Equine Dentistry or other professional equine  
28 dentistry association as determined by the board;

29 (2) affidavits of at least two veterinarians and three  
30 adults who are not related to the applicant setting forth how  
31 long, when, and under what circumstances they have known the  
32 applicant, and any other relevant facts to assist the board in  
33 determining the applicant's qualifications; and

34 (3) satisfactory evidence that the applicant will be under  
35 the direct or indirect supervision of a veterinarian when  
36 floating equine teeth.

*a person may perform floating equine teeth services under indirect sup.*



1        (b) The board may waive the requirements in clauses (1) and  
2 (2) of paragraph (a), and grant a license to an applicant who  
3 provides satisfactory evidence of being actively engaged in  
4 floating equine teeth for at least ten of the past 15 years and  
5 has generated at least \$5,000 a year in personal income from  
6 this activity.

7        (c) A licensing fee of \$100 for the two-year licensing  
8 period must accompany the application.

9        Subd. 3. [STANDARDS; DISCIPLINARY ACTION.] Licensed equine  
10 teeth floaters are subject to the professional standards and  
11 disciplinary actions provided for in this chapter and in rules  
12 adopted by the board.

13        Sec. 2. [APPROPRIATION]

14        \$50,000 in fiscal year 2006 is appropriated from the  
15 general fund to the Board of Veterinary Medicine to carry out  
16 the purposes in section 1."

17        Delete the title and insert:

18        "A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring  
19 licenses for equine teeth floaters; appropriating money;  
20 proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 156."

1 Senator ..... moves to amend S.F. No. 554 as follows:

2 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

3 "Section 1. [156.075] [SEPARATE LICENSE OR COLLABORATIVE  
4 AGREEMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR EQUINE DENTISTRY.]

5 Subdivision 1. [LICENSE.] (a) A license is required for a  
6 person advising with respect to or performing equine dentistry  
7 that uses handheld files, rasps, or other devices to remove  
8 overgrowth from the teeth of horses (floating), not including  
9 sedation, extraction of teeth, or other procedures that invade  
10 the soft tissue of the mouth. Application for an equine  
11 dentistry license must be made in writing to the board on a form  
12 furnished by the board, accompanied by satisfactory evidence  
13 that the applicant is at least 18 years old, and provides proof  
14 of current certification from the International Association of  
15 Equine Dentistry.

16 (b) The board must waive the certification requirement if  
17 the applicant has performed equine dentistry for at least three  
18 of the five years immediately preceding the effective date of  
19 this section, and submits affidavits of at least two  
20 veterinarians and three adults who are not related to the  
21 applicant setting forth how long, when, and under what  
22 circumstances they have known the applicant, and any other  
23 relevant facts to assist the board in determining the  
24 applicant's qualifications.

25 (c) The board may require any other information and  
26 materials it considers relevant from the applicant and may  
27 require an appropriate license fee.

28 (d) The board shall submit any proposed rules or rule  
29 changes to the house of representatives and senate committees  
30 with jurisdiction over the Board of Veterinary Medicine before  
31 final adoption.

32 Subd. 2. [COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT.] (a) Notwithstanding  
33 the license requirement of subdivision 1, an unlicensed equine  
34 dentist may perform the equine dentistry services described in  
35 subdivision 1 if the equine dentist:

36 (1) has been actively engaged in the practice of equine

1 dentistry for not less than two of the past three years; and

2 (2) has entered into a written collaborative agreement with  
3 a licensed veterinarian that designates authorization for the  
4 services provided by the equine dentist.

5 (b) A collaborating veterinarian must be licensed under  
6 this chapter and may enter into a collaborative agreement with  
7 no more than four equine dentists unless otherwise authorized by  
8 the board. The collaborative agreement must include:

9 (1) consideration for medically compromised horses and  
10 medical conditions for which a veterinarian evaluation and  
11 treatment plan must occur before providing dentistry services;

12 (2) procedure-specific standard collaborative practice  
13 protocols, including recommended intervals for the performance  
14 of equine dentistry services and a period of time during which  
15 an examination by a veterinarian should occur;

16 (3) agreement on language in consent-to-treatment forms  
17 provided to the horse owner or lessor by the equine dentist; and

18 (4) a procedure for creating and maintaining records,  
19 including their location, for horses treated by the equine  
20 dentist.

21 The collaborative agreement must be signed and maintained by the  
22 veterinarian and the equine dentist, must be reviewed annually  
23 by the collaborative parties, and must be made available to the  
24 board upon request.

25 (c) For purposes of this subdivision, a "collaborative  
26 agreement" means a written agreement with a licensed  
27 veterinarian who authorizes and accepts responsibility for the  
28 services performed by the equine dentist. The services  
29 authorized under this subdivision and the collaborative  
30 agreement may be performed without the presence of a licensed  
31 veterinarian, at a location other than the usual place of  
32 practice of the veterinarian, and without a veterinarian's  
33 diagnosis and treatment plan, unless specified in the  
34 collaborative agreement.

35 Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 156.081,  
36 subdivision 1, is amended to read:

1           Subdivision 1. [AUTHORITY.] The board may limit, suspend,  
2 or revoke the license of any person to practice veterinary  
3 medicine or equine dentistry in this state for any of the causes  
4 provided in this section. This authority also extends to  
5 collaborative agreements under section 156.075, subdivision 2.  
6 The executive director, in all cases of disciplined licenses,  
7 shall enter on the register the fact of the disciplinary action,  
8 as the case may be. The record of such disciplinary action made  
9 by the executive director shall be prima facie evidence of the  
10 fact thereof, and of the regularity of all the proceedings of  
11 the board in the matter of the disciplinary action.

12           Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 156.081,  
13 subdivision 2, is amended to read:

14           Subd. 2. [CAUSES.] The board may revoke, suspend, or  
15 impose limitations upon a license for any of the following  
16 causes:

17           (1) the employment of fraud, misrepresentation or deception  
18 in obtaining such license;

19           (2) being convicted of a felony or gross misdemeanor,  
20 including a finding or verdict of guilt, whether or not the  
21 adjudication of guilt is withheld or not entered, an admission  
22 of guilt, or a no contest plea, as evidenced by a certified copy  
23 of the conviction;

24           (3) being unable to practice with reasonable skill and  
25 safety by reason of illness, use of alcohol, drugs, chemicals,  
26 or any other materials, or as a result of any mental or physical  
27 condition;

28           (4) existence of a professional connection with or the  
29 lending of one's name to any illegal practitioner of veterinary  
30 medicine or equine dentistry;

31           (5) having been the subject of revocation, suspension, or  
32 surrender of a veterinary or equine dentistry license in  
33 resolution of a complaint or other adverse action related to  
34 licensure in another jurisdiction or country;

35           (6) violating a state or federal narcotics or controlled  
36 substance law irrespective of any proceedings under section

1 152.18 or federal law;

2 (7) fraudulently conducting or reporting results of  
3 physical examinations or biological tests used to detect and  
4 prevent the dissemination of animal diseases, transportation of  
5 diseased animals, or distribution of contaminated, infected, or  
6 inedible animal products, or failing to report, as required by  
7 law, any contagious or infectious disease;

8 (8) engaging in false, fraudulent, deceptive, or misleading  
9 advertising;

10 (9) conviction on a charge of cruelty to animals;

11 (10) failure, after written notification by the board, to  
12 keep one's premises and all equipment therein in a clean and  
13 sanitary condition, according to reasonable standards adopted by  
14 the board;

15 (11) fraud, deception, or incompetence in the practice of  
16 veterinary medicine or equine dentistry, including any departure  
17 from or failure to conform to the minimum standards of  
18 acceptable and prevailing practice without actual injury having  
19 to be established;

20 (12) engaging in unprofessional conduct as defined in rules  
21 adopted by the board or engaging in conduct which violates any  
22 statute or rule promulgated by the board or any board order;

23 (13) being adjudicated by a court of competent  
24 jurisdiction, within or without this state, as a person who is  
25 incapacitated, mentally incompetent or mentally ill, chemically  
26 dependent, mentally ill and dangerous to the public, or a  
27 psychopathic personality;

28 (14) revealing a privileged communication from or relating  
29 to a client except when otherwise required or permitted by law;

30 (15) obtaining money, property, or services from a client  
31 through the use of undue influence, harassment, duress,  
32 deception, or fraud or through the improper use of the regulated  
33 individual's position as a professional;

34 (16) practicing outside the scope of practice authorized by  
35 the board's practice act; or

36 (17) making a false statement or misrepresentation to the

1 board."

2 Delete the title and insert:

3 "A bill for an act relating to agriculture; requiring a  
4 license or collaborative agreement to perform equine dentistry;  
5 amending Minnesota Statutes 2004, section 156.081, subdivisions  
6 1, 2; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes,  
7 chapter 156."