

BIENNIAL REPORT OF EXAMINING AND LICENSING BOARDS

(MS 1980 SECTION 214.07)

002668

BOARD: Veterinary Medicine

LOCATION: 717 Delaware St. S. E., Mpls., Minn. 55414

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 156

REPORT PERIOD: July 1, 1978 To: June 30, 1980

Submitted By:	Name	Title	Date
	Glen H. Nelson, DVM	Executive Secretary	9-10-80

3 (Pursuant to M.S. 214.07, sub 1)

Copies of this report shall be delivered to: (A) the Legislature in accordance with Section 3.195 (1 copy to the Secretary of the Senate, 1 copy to the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives and 10 copies to the Legislative Reference Library); (B) the Governor; and (C) Commissioner of Administration. Each health-related board shall also deliver a copy of their report to the Board of Health.

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state govt - dept agencies

Clause a: GENERAL STATEMENT OF BOARD ACTIVITIES

This description should cover both FY 79 and FY 80 and include any changes (additions/deletions) in activities between those years.

The health of food producing farm animals is vital to the world food supply problem and veterinarians are the only individuals qualified to accept that responsibility. The demand upon the veterinary profession differ according to specialization.

1. Food producing animals.
2. Companion animal practice.
3. Veterinary Public Health. Veterinary Public Health is the relationship between animal and human health and includes meat inspection, contagious reporting, (there are over 100 diseases of animals transmissible to man), and epidemical surveillance.
4. Regulatory veterinary medicine, which includes inspection and certification of animals for import and export for interstate and international movement, and for disease quarantine and eradication programs.
5. Education and research.

The Board of Veterinary Medicine examines qualified applicants twice each year to assure that adequately trained professional people are licensed to deliver the above services to the public. Approximately 120 licenses are granted each year. To assure that individuals licensed meet minimum standards in the profession before issuing license renewals. To investigate consumer complaints along with the Attorney General's Office. Approximately 2200 licenses were renewed in 1980.

The continuing goal of the Board is to improve the professional competence of licensed veterinarians thus improving the quality of service to the public. This is accomplished by verifying qualifications of candidates for licensure. By administering State and National Examinations both written and practical. By verifying character references, college transcripts and other credentials required for each applicant. To request from and provide to other states and state agencies and national organizations, information concerning board policy and procedures and status of licensees. Inform drug regulating agencies upon request of location and status of licensees. Interchanging of rules and regulations information. By keeping the State of Minnesota Animal Health Board informed of all new licensees and updating their records for credentialing by that agency. To certify approximately 6 new professional corporations annually and to renew approximately 75. To verify approximately 400 licensees to drug firms and enforcement agencies annually.

Clause b: TOTAL NUMBER MEETINGS HELD FY 79 7 FY 80 6 FY 79 AND 80 13

APPROXIMATE TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS SPENT BY BOARD MEMBERS IN MEETINGS AND ON OTHER BOARD ACTIVITIES.

BOARD MEMBER'S NAME	MEETING	HOURS			OTHER ACTIVITIES	HOURS		
	TYPE	FY 79	FY 80	FY 79 & 80	TYPE	FY 79	FY 80	FY 79 & 80
James R. Olin, DVM	Bd. Meetings	22		22				
Darrell Steele, DVM	Bd. Meetings	36½	12	48½				
Wilbur White, DVM	Bd. Meetings	40½	9	49½				
Alden O. Droivold, DVM	Bd. Meetings	40½	28	68½				
James Flanary	Bd. Meetings	26		26				
Robert Stegmaier, Sr.	Bd. Meetings	30		30				
Shirley Wilcox	Bd. Meetings	39½	12	51½				
John Aldrich, DVM	Bd. Meetings	10½	30	40½				
Gregory Cutlan, DVM	Bd. Meetings	18½	30	48½				
Gloria Jespersen	Bd. Meetings	10½	27	37½				
Robert Lohrenz, DVM	Bd. Meetings		18	18				
Robert Martens, DVM	Bd. Meetings		18	18				
Neale Deters	Bd. Meetings		10	10				

Clause c: THE RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF BOARD FUNDS

	FY 79	FY 80	FY's 79 - 80
Total State Appropriations	\$33,355	\$35,650	\$69,005
Total Non-Dedicated Fee Receipts	33,400	35,600	69,000
Total Disbursements	19,500	26,100	45,600

COMMENTS (Optional)

Fees generated also cover salary of part time clerical staff who is an employee of the Department of Health.

Clause d: LIST OF BOARD MEMBERS WHO SERVED DURING FY 79 AND FY 80

FOR EASY REFERENCE PLEASE GIVE:

(A) Number of Board members required by statute: 7

(B) The statutory length of term: 4 years

NAME & ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	GIVE BEGIN AND END DATE OF APPOINTMENT AND EACH RE-APPOINTMENT
John Aldrich, DVM	Veterinarian	June, 1979 to January, 1984
Heale L. Deters	Public Member	May 30, 1980 to January, 1981
Alden Droivold, DVM	Veterinarian	May 1, 1972 to May 1, 1977
		re-appointment March 13, 1978
		to January, 1982
Gregory R. Cutlan, DVM	Veterinarian	June 8, 1979 to January, 1984
Robert Lohrenz, DVM	Veterinarian	May 30, 1980 to January, 1983
Gloria Jespersion	Public Member	June 8, 1979 to January, 1984
Robert Martens, DVM	Veterinarian	May 30, 1980 to January, 1983

Clause e: LIST BOARD EMPLOYEES WHO WERE EMPLOYED
DURING FY 79 AND/OR FY 80

NAME	JOB CLASSIFICATION/TITLE & CLASS	CLASS CODE	STATUS		
			FT	PT	Dates of Service
Glen H. Nelson, DVM	Executive Secretary			X	7-1-65 Present
Mary Nelson *	Clerk Typist Senior			X	7-1-65 Present
	* The 3/4 time Senior Clerk Typist is				
	an employee of the Health Department,				
	due to 1976 legislation Minn. Stat.				
	Chapter 214, with the Board of				
	Veterinary Medicine generating funds				
	for the salary.				

Clause f: BRIEF SUMMARY OF BOARD RULES PROPOSED OR ADOPTED DURING THIS REPORTING PERIOD, FY 79 AND FY 80, GIVE APPROPRIATE CITATIONS TO THE STATE REGISTER AND PUBLISHED RULES FOR THOSE ADOPTED,

NONE

Clause h ADMINISTRATION OF EXAMINATIONS BY BOARD

EXAMINATION:

LOCATION	TYPES OF LICENSE/REGISTRATION	DATES
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	12-4-78
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	12-5-78
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	5-1-79
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	5-2-79
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	6-2-80
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	6-3-80
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	12-4-79
University of Minnesota	Veterinary License	12-5-79

WRITTEN	PRACTICAL	ORAL
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X
X	X	X

Clauses i, j, k: MINNESOTA RESIDENTS BY TYPE OF LICENSE/REGISTRATION

List the number of Minnesota Residents only who were (1) examined and either (2) Licensed/Registered or (3) Not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of license/registration noted. Use a separate page for each type of license or registration

TYPE OF LICENSE/REGISTRATION Veterinary License

AGE GROUP	FY 79									FY 80									FY 79 AND FY 80											
	EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS			EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS			EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS					
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T			
Under 18																														
18-25	50	23	73	47	21	68	3	3	6	21	10	31	20	10	30	1	0	1	68	32	100	68	32	98	3	3	6			
26-34	7	2	9	7	2	9	—	—	—	19	18	37	19	18	37	0	0	0	27	20	47	26	20	46	—	—	—			
35-59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	—			
60-65																														
66 & Over																														
Total	57	25	79	53	21	74	3	3	6	41	29	70	40	29	69	1	0	1	96	52	147	93	53	146	3	3	6			
Calculate % of Male and % of Female to the Total of Each Category																														
% of Total	70	30	100	72	28	100	50	50	100	59	41	100	58	42	100	100	0	100	65	35	100	64	36	100	50	50	100			

Clauses i, j, k: NON-MINNESOTA RESIDENTS BY TYPE OF LICENSE/REGISTRATION

List the number of Non-Minnesota Residents only who were (1) examined and either (2) Licensed/Registered or (3) Not licensed/registered after being examined for the type of license/registration noted. Use a separate page for each type of license or registration.

TYPE OF LICENSE/REGISTRATION Veterinary License

AGE GROUP	FY 79									FY 80									FY 79 AND FY 80														
	EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS			EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS			EXAMINED			LIC/REGIS			NOT LIC/REGIS								
	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T	M	F	T			
Under 18																																	
18-25																																	
26-34	35	6	41	34	5	39	1	1	2	12	5	17	12	5	17	—	—	—	43	11	54	43	11	54	0	1	1						
35-59	10	2	12	9	2	11	1	0	1	12	5	17	11	5	16	1	0	1	28	11	39	27	11	38	2	0	2						
60-65	1	0	1	1	0	1	—	—	—	3	0	3	2	0	2	1	0	1	4	2	6	3	2	5	1	0	1						
66 & Over																																	
Total	46	8	54	44	7	51	2	1	3	27	10	37	25	10	35	2	0	2	75	24	99	73	24	97	3	1	4						

Calculate % of Male and % of Female to the Total of Each Category

% of Total	77	23	100	77	23	100	66	34	100	73	23	100	71	29	100	100	0	100	76	24	100	75	25	100	75	25	100
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State	PLEASE LIST THE TOTAL NUMBER OF NON-RESIDENTS BY STATE																										
IOWA	24	5	29	22	5	27	2	0	2	13	6	18	10	6	16	2	0	2	34	11	45	33	11	43	4	0	4
CANADA	0	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0
N.Y.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0
ILL.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	5	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0

Tex.	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	
OKLA.	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
CA.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
MO.	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
WASH.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
COLO.	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0
ALAB.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRIA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
KAN.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
IND.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
OHIO	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
MICH.	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
GA.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

Clause 1: THE NUMBER OF PERSONS NOT TAKING EXAMINATIONS WHO WERE LICENSED OR REGISTERED BY THE BOARD OR WHO WERE DENIED LICENSING OR REGISTRATION WITH THE REASONS FOR THE LICENSING OR REGISTRATION OR DENIAL THEREOF ,

	FY 79	FY 80	FY 79-80
TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS <u>NOT</u> TAKING EXAMS AND GRANTED LICENSES OR REGISTRATION	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS <u>NOT</u> TAKING EXAMS AND DENIED LICENSES OR REGISTRATION	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

FOR EACH PERSON GIVE:

Type of Lic./Regis.	State of Res.	AGE GROUP						SEX		* Method of Lic./Regis.			** Reasons for Granting or Denial	
		0-18	18-25	26-34	35-59	60-65	66-	M F			Grant	Deny		

* IDENTIFY METHOD: e.g. Application, Reciprocity, Endorsements, Credential Evaluation, Comity, etc.
 ** REASONS FOR GRANTING OR DENIAL: Attach Additional Sheets if necessary.

Clause m: PERSONS PREVIOUSLY LICENSED OR REGISTERED BY THE BOARD
WHOSE LICENSES OR REGISTRATIONS WERE REVOKED, SUSPENDED
OR OTHERWISE ALTERED IN STATUS WITH BRIEF STATEMENTS OF
THE REASONS FOR THE REVOCATION, SUSPENSION OR ALTERATION.

TOTAL number of revocations
 TOTAL number of suspensions
 TOTAL number of other status changes

FY 79	Fy 80	FY's 79-80
0	0	0
95	0*	95
25	12	37

TYPE OF LICENSE OR REGISTRATION (By case)	TYPE OF STATUS CHANGE			REASONS FOR EACH CHANGE IN STATUS FOR EACH CASE
	Revoked	Suspended	Other (Specify)	
License		X		95 Non-Payment of Renewal Fee
License			X	37 Deaths and Retirements
				* Total results not returned from computer licensing section for 1980 but due to records for the last four years on the computer can expect from between 50 or 60 licenses to be suspended for 1980.

Clause n: LIST THE NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, EACH BOARD MEMBER, EMPLOYEE OR OTHER PERSON PERFORMING SERVICES FOR THE BOARD

IN FY 79	5	Written	}
	No.		
	0	Oral	
	No.		
IN FY 80	12	Written	
	No.		
	0	Oral	
	No.		

THAT ALLEGE OR IMPLY A VIOLATION OF A STATUTE OR RULE WHICH THE BOARD IS EMPOWERED TO ENFORCE.

IN FY 79	0	Written	}
	No.		
	0	Oral	
	No.		
IN FY 80	0	Written	
	No.		
	0	Oral	
	No.		

WHICH ARE FORWARDED TO OTHER AGENCIES AS REQUIRED BY M.S. 214.10.

Please indicate the number of complaints referred to each other governmental agencies in each fiscal year. (Federal, State, and Local).

All complaints were referred to the Office of the Attorney General for review and or investigation.

Clause o: SUMMARIZE BY CATEGORY THE SUBSTANCE OF THE COMPLAINTS AND COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO IN CLAUSE (n) OF M.S. 214.07 AND THE RESPONSES OR DISPOSITIONS THEREOF PURSUANT TO M.S. 214.10 and 214.11 (INDICATE AUTHORITY/CITATIONS FOR DISPOSITION).

(Dispositions occurring during this period of complaints and communications received prior to July 1, 1978 and complaints and communications received but not disposed of as of June 30, 1980, should be included).

SUMMARY OF COMPLAINTS AND COMMUNICATIONS BY CATEGORY (Give number in each category)	SUMMARY OF RESPONSES AND DISPOSITIONS (Give number in each category)
15 Written Complaints	Investigated by a Committee from the Board and the Board Attorney from the Office of the Attorney General. All 15 complaints were determined Non-Jurisdictional.
2 Written Complaints	Pending and under investigation at the present time.

Clause p: STATE ANY OTHER OBJECTIVE INFORMATION WHICH THE BOARD MEMBERS BELIEVE WILL BE USEFUL IN REVIEWING BOARD ACTIVITIES:

(For Example: In what other states do your licensees hold licenses? Number of Minnesota licenses verified/certified to other states? Number of inspections? Comparisons with past Biennial Reports?)

Veterinarians holding licenses in the following states:

Iowa, Missouri, Michigan, Penn., Maryland, So. Dak., Florida, Colo., Mass., Wash., Okla., Kansas, Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Oregon, Nebraska, New Jersey, North Dakota, Wyoming, Indiana, Idaho, Virginia, Main, Calif.

No record is kept as to the number of Minnesota Licenses verified to other states but an estimate would be approximately 50 to 60.