TEXAS BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

DOCKET NO. 2007-32

ORDER PERTAINING TO REVOCATION OF

LICENSE NO. 4280

WHEREAS, the Texas Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners (Board) finds that on or about March 21, 2007, JONATHAN W. BROOKE, D.V.M., of Kerrville, Texas, License No. 4280, was convicted by the 216th Judicial District Court of Kerr County, Texas, of online solicitation of a minor, a second degree felony, and sentenced to confinement in the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice; and

WHEREAS, under current law, JOHATHAN W. BROOKE, D.V.M., began his imprisonment upon the date of his conviction, although he was subsequently freed on bond pending appeal; and

WHEREAS, Texas Attorney General Opinion No. GA-0064 states that under Section 53.021 of the Occupations Code, a license holder's license is revoked by operation of law upon the license holder's imprisonment.

THEREFORE, the Board FINDS that:

1. License No. 4280 issued to JONATHAN W. BROOKE, D.V.M., was automatically revoked by operation of law on March 21, 2007.

2. JONATHAN W. BROOKE, D.V.M., may, upon discharge from prison, apply for re-licensure in the same manner as a person applying for a new license, and further shall be subject to the requirements of Board Rule 575.22 relating to license reinstatement.

The Board ORDERS that:

A copy of this Order shall be mailed by first class mail to JONATHAN W. BROOKE, D.V.M., at his last known mailing address as reflected in the Board’s records on this date.

ADOPTED THIS THE 14th DAY OF JUNE, 2007 BY AN AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF THE BOARD.

Robert Lastovica, President