

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF
VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

VS

LOUIS E. BUCK, D.V.M.

TEXAS VETERINARY
MEDICAL LICENSE NO. 1150

TEXAS VETERINARY MEDICAL
RENEWAL CERTIFICATE (1978)
NUMBER 135

FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS, AND ORDERS OF THE BOARD

On the 6th day of December, A.D. 1978, the TEXAS STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS, being in regular meeting at the Sheraton-Marina Inn, 300 North Shoreline Blvd., Corpus Christi, Nueces County, Texas, such meeting being called for the purpose of hearing and considering the above numbered and entitled complaint, as well as for the consideration of other Board business, and the above entitled and numbered complaint having been previously scheduled for hearing and Defendant, the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK, having been served with citation by WALTER H. RANKIN, Constable, Precinct #1, Harris County, Texas on the 14th day of November A.D. 1978, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. by delivering it in person to the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK at 3512 Travis Street in Houston, Harris County, Texas, and the entire membership of the TEXAS STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS being present, to-wit:

DR. WALLACE H. CARDWELL, President	of Elgin, Texas
DR. FRANK E. MANN, JR., Vice President	of Wharton, Texas
DR. CHARLES W. EDWARDS, JR., Secretary	of Marfa, Texas
DR. DAN J. ANDERSON, Member	of Fort Worth, Texas
DR. JAMES GANDY, Member	of Brownwood, Texas
DR. JOHN E. WILKINS, JR., Member	of Greenville, Texas

Whereupon the President of the Board, DR. WALLACE H. CARDWELL, ordered the case to proceed at which time the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK failed to appear and at the appointed time, that is 1:30 p.m., MR. MIKE CARROLL checked the halls and determined that DR. BUCK was not present; whereupon the President of the Board entered a plea of NOT GUILTY to said Docketed Complaint on behalf of the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK. The Board then proceeded to hear the evidence presented by

the State, and on the same day, Wednesday, December 6, 1978, all of the above members of said Board being present and participating, makes the following findings, to-wit:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Board finds that all statutory requisites to its jurisdiction have been met.
2. The Board finds that although DR. LOUIS E. BUCK was duly cited as required by law, he failed to appear in person for said hearing.
3. That on or about the 21st day of November A.D., 1977 the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK called DR. PAUL R. YOUNG, JR. by telephone and accused him of being unethical and stated that he DR. YOUNG had "ripped off" one JENNIE BINSON.
4. The said DR. PAUL R. YOUNG, JR. had in fact performed a fecal, blood count, and a physical examination prior to diagnosing and treating the nine (9) week old dog belonging to said JENNIE BINSON.
5. That during said telephone conversation while in the presence of JENNIE BINSON the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK cursed DR. PAUL R. YOUNG, JR..

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That the above libelous statements and profane language is a violation of Article 7465a, Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes, Subsection (e) of Section 14 and the Rules of Professional Conduct No. 2 duly promulgated by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners.

The Board finds that the facts and conclusions brought out at such hearing justify and require the following orders:

ORDERS OF THE BOARD

The TEXAS STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS finds that DR. LOUIS E. BUCK should be REPRIMANDED and he is HEREBY SEVERELY REPRIMANDED for this knowing, purposeful and malicious language and action encroaching upon the lawful and ethical practice of a fellow veterinarian.

DR. LOUIS E. BUCK

MADE the 6th day of December, 1978, and ENTERED the 15th day of January, 1979.

Wallace H. Cardwell
WALLACE H. CARDWELL, D.V.M.
President

Dan J. Anderson
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Member

Frank E. Mann, Jr.
FRANK E. MANN, JR., D.V.M.
Vice President

James Gandy void
JAMES GANDY, D.V.M.
Member void

Charles W. Edwards, Jr.
CHARLES W. EDWARDS, JR., D.V.M.
Secretary

John E. Wilkins, Jr.
JOHN E. WILKINS, JR., D.V.M.
Member

THE STATE OF TEXAS X
COUNTY OF TRAVIS X

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public in and for Travis County, Texas, on this day personally appeared ERNIE M. CARROLL, who after being by me duly sworn upon oath deposes and says that:

The said ERNIE M. CARROLL, being an employee of the Texas State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, did in the course of his employment make certain investigations into the professional conduct of one DR. LOUIS E. BUCK, Texas Veterinary Medical License No. 1150, 1978-1979 Renewal Certificate No. 135, a practitioner of veterinary medicine in the State of Texas, and in the course of said investigation it has come to the attention of the said ERNIE M. CARROLL that on or about the dates hereinafter specified that the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK did commit one or more of the following acts, and/or omissions, or a combination thereof or all of same said acts and/or omissions being in violation of Section 14 (c), Article 7465a, Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes, and of Rules of Professional Conduct Nos. 2, 8, 11 and 18 as promulgated by the Board in accordance with the law, as follows, to wit:

1. That on or about the 21st day of November, 1977 the said DR. LOUIS E. BUCK called DR. PAUL R. YOUNG, JR. by telephone and accused him of being unethical and stated that he DR. YOUNG had "ripped off" one JENNIE BINSON when in fact the said DR. YOUNG had performed fecal, blood count, and a physical examination, prior to diagnosing and treating a 9 week old dog belonging to the said JENNIE BINSON.

2. During said telephone conversation the said DR. BUCK cursed the said DR. PAUL R. YOUNG, JR. while in the presence of JENNIE BINSON.

The above complaint is submitted to the Executive Secretary of the Texas State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners this the 10th day of November A.D., 1978.

Ernie M. Carroll
ERNIE M. CARROLL

THE STATE OF TEXAS X
COUNTY OF TRAVIS X

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME BY ERNIE M. CARROLL, this the 10th day of November A.D., 1978, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

Ora Lee Lindholm
ORA LEE LINDHOLM
Notary Public in and for
Travis County, Texas