



noon and completed surgery shortly thereafter.

4. Around 2:00 p.m. the clinic staff told the Totins that "Rocksie" was coming out of the anesthesia and seemed normal but was panting heavily. Dr. Campbell later reported that the dog never recovered fully enough from the anesthesia to stand.

5. Mr. and Mrs. Totin arrived at the clinic around 5:30 p.m. and were told by Dr. Campbell that he would like to keep the dog overnight because she was having a hard time coming out of the anesthesia. The Totins were shocked to see the poor condition of "Rocksie." Dr. Campbell then administered a Dexamethasone IV to "Rocksie" around 6:00 p.m. and told the Totins that he would call Dr. Michael Overton, the owner of the clinic, and ask him to check on the dog after the clinic closed. Dr. Campbell then left the clinic around 6:15 p.m.

6. At about 6:20 p.m., a technician at the clinic telephoned Dr. Overton because the technician was concerned about the dog's condition. Another technician checked on "Rocksie" and found that she was not breathing. The technician began resuscitative measures on the dog and Dr. Overton arrived at the clinic and continued efforts to resuscitate "Rocksie", but she was never revived.

7. The patient records for "Rocksie" do not reflect any efforts by Dr. Campbell post-surgery to stimulate "Rocksie's" recovery from the anesthesia. Dr. Campbell left the clinic while "Rocksie" was still in severe distress and minutes before her death, without making any arrangements for continuing care. Although he told the Totins that he would ask Dr. Overton to check on the dog, apparently Dr. Campbell never contacted Dr. Overton.

8. The acts and/or failures to act alleged in findings of fact 4 through 7, and more specifically, Dr. Campbell's failure to take reasonable measures to assist the dog in recovering from the anesthesia, and Dr. Campbell's failure to make arrangements for adequate care for the dog before he left the clinic, do not constitute the exercise of the same degree of humane care, skill and diligence in treating patients as is ordinarily used in the same or similar circumstances by average members of the veterinary medical profession in good standing in Allen, Texas or similar communities.

### **Conclusions of Law**

1. Respondent is required to comply with the provisions of the Veterinary Licensing Act, Chapter 801, Texas Occupations Code, and with the Board's Rules.

2. Rule 573.22 - Professional Standard of Humane Treatment, of the Board's Rules of Professional Conduct (22 TAC §573.22) states that veterinarians shall exercise the same degree of humane care, skill, and diligence in treating patients as are ordinarily used in the same or similar circumstances by average members of the veterinary medical profession in good standing in the locality or community in which they practice, or in similar communities.

3. Based on Findings of Fact 4 through 8, Dr. Campbell has violated Rule 573.22 of the Board's Rules (22 TAC §573.22).

4. Based on Conclusions of Law 1 through 3, Respondent has violated Section 801.402(6) of the Veterinary Licensing Act, Texas Occupations Code, and is subject to disciplinary action by the Board:

801.402. GENERAL GROUNDS FOR LICENSE DENIAL OR DISCIPLINARY ACTION. A person is subject to denial of a license or to disciplinary action under Section 801.401 if the person:

(6) engages in practices or conduct that violates the board's rules of professional conduct.

5. Based on Conclusions of Law 1 through 4, Respondent is subject to imposition of a civil penalty by the Board:

801.401. DISCIPLINARY POWERS OF BOARD. (a) If an applicant or license holder is subject to denial of a license or to disciplinary action under Section 801.402, the board may:

(5) impose a civil penalty.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD AND RESPONDENT AGREE AS FOLLOWS:**

Based on the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Board ORDERS that Glen Campbell, D.V.M., be REPRIMANDED.

The Board further ORDERS that Glen Campbell, D.V.M., pay a civil penalty of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARD (\$500.00), payable within forty five (45) days of the date of this ORDER.

The Board further ADOPTS the following terms and conditions:

1. Respondent shall abide by the Rules of Professional Conduct, the Texas Veterinary Licensing Act and the laws of the State of Texas and the United States.

2. Respondent shall cooperate with the Board's attorneys, investigators, compliance officers and other employees and agents investigating Respondent's compliance with this Order.

3. Failure by Respondent to comply with the terms of this Agreed Order or with any other provisions of the Licensing Act or the Board Rules, may result in further disciplinary action.


Respondent, by signing this Agreed Order, acknowledges his understanding of the Agreed Order, the notice, Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law herein set forth, and agrees that he will satisfactorily comply with the mandates of the Agreed Order in a timely manner or be subject to appropriate disciplinary action by the Board.

Respondent, by signing this Agreed Order, waives his right to a formal hearing and any right to seek judicial review of this Agreed Order. Respondent acknowledges that he is entitled to be represented by an attorney of Respondent's choice at his expense.

RESPONDENT WAIVES ANY FURTHER HEARINGS OR APPEALS TO THE BOARD OR TO ANY COURT IN REGARD TO ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS AGREED ORDER. NOTHING IN THIS ORDER SHALL BE DEEMED A WAIVER OF RESPONDENT'S RIGHTS UNDER STATUTE OR UNDER THE UNITED STATES OR TEXAS CONSTITUTIONS TO APPEAL AN ORDER OR ACTION OF THE BOARD SUBSEQUENT TO THIS AGREED ORDER EXCEPT AS RESPONDENT MAY HAVE OTHERWISE AGREED TO HEREIN. RESPONDENT AGREES THAT THIS IS A FINAL ORDER.

The date of this Agreed Order shall be the date it is adopted by the Texas Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners.

I, GLEN CAMPBELL, D.V.M., HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AGREED ORDER. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS ORDER CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND, VERBAL, WRITTEN OR OTHERWISE.

  
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Glen Campbell  
Respondent

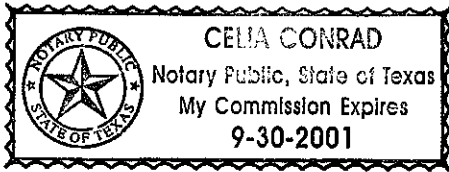
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STATE OF TEXAS                   §  
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BEFORE ME, on this day, personally appeared Glen Campbell, D.V.M., known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing Agreed Order, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes stated therein.

Given under the hand and seal of office this 18 day of October, 2000



Celia Conrad  
Notary Public

SIGNED AND ENTERED by the TEXAS STATE BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS on this the 15th day of August, 2001

J. Lynn Lawhon  
J. LYNN LAWHON, D.V.M.  
President

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