

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF  
VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

VS

LARRY O. HARRELL, D.V.M.

TEXAS VETERINARY  
MEDICAL LICENSE NO. 2752

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. LARRY O. HARRELL, having waived service of citation and accepted service in said cause by sworn instrument dated the 13th day of November, A.D. 1978, 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

The President of the Board, DR. WALLACE H. CARDWELL, ordered the case to proceed at which time it was ascertained that DR. LARRY O. HARRELL was present in person; whereupon he entered his plea of GUILTY to said Docketed Complaint. The Board then proceeded to hear the evidence presented by the State, and by DR. LARRY O. HARRELL in his behalf, 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. That on or about the 29th day of June, 1976, the license of DR. LARRY O. HARRELL to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Louisiana was revoked by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners in the State of Louisiana.

3. That on or about the 9th day of May, 1977, the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL, was convicted of the offense of distribution of controlled substances in violation of 21 USC 841(a)(1), a felony, and placed on probation by the United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana, Lake Charles Division in Cause No. 77-2004.

4. That for the period of time from on or about 6th day of June, 1976 to the date of the hearing on December 6, 1978, the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL has been employed by DR. THOMAS G. HILDEBRAND, License No. 1671 at his clinic at 6321 Bissonnet, Houston, Harris County, Texas.

5. That during the period of time the said LARRY O. HARRELL has been employed as a lay technician by the said DR. THOMAS G. HILDEBRAND there have been no further complaints from the State or Federal agencies or from local police officers or members of the State Board staff with regards to illegal practice or any other complaint charged herein above.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That the said LARRY O. HARRELL did permit his Texas License to lapse for nonpayment of annual license renewal fee on the 1st day of March, 1974, under the express provisions of Section 13 of Article 7465a, Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes.

2. That the revocation of the License of the said LARRY O. HARRELL by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners of the State of Louisiana for a good cause is a violation of Section 14, Subsection c and e of Article 7465a, Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes.

3. That having been convicted of a felony offense of distribution of controlled substances in violation of federal law, a felony, is a violation of Article 7465a, Section 14, Subsection (d) and (e) Vernon's Annotated Texas Statutes.

4. 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. LARRY O. HARRELL's original Texas License No. 2752 should be and is hereby conditionally reinstated, and said license is hereby SUSPENDED for a period of ten (10) years from the date of this order, PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the execution of this Order of Suspension be and it is hereby STAYED, and the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL is placed on probation for a period of ten (10) years upon the following terms and conditions:

1. That the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL will not engage in any dishonest or illegal practices in or connected with the practice of veterinary medicine within the State, nor violate any of the provisions of Article 7465a, of the revised Civil Statutes of Texas, or of any Statutes of Texas or any other state or of the United States or any additions or amendments thereto pertaining to veterinary medicine.

2. The said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL will observe and abide by each of the Rules of Professional Conduct promulgated by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners for licensed veterinarians in the State of Texas now in effect or placed in effect during said period of suspension or any part of said period.

3. The said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL shall file with the Executive Secretary of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners at semiannual intervals, an affidavit to the effect that he has fully and faithfully complied with the terms and conditions of probation herein imposed. The said affidavit shall be transmitted to the Board Office by Certified United States Mail, Return Receipt Requested. The said affidavit shall be executed by DR. LARRY O. HARRELL so as to be received in the Board Office on or before the 1st day of July, and on or before the 1st day of January of each consecutive calendar year for the period of said probation, the first said affidavit to be received in the Board Office on or before the 1st day of July, 1979.

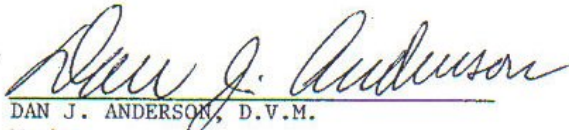
4. That during said period of probation the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL shall not make application for nor obtain a permit to order nor shall he prescribe controlled substances.

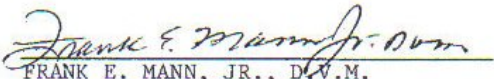
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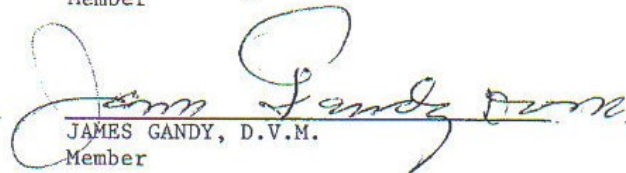
5. It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that upon full compliance with the terms and conditions herein set forth, and upon expiration of the term of probation, the license of the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL and the annual renewal certificate then in effect shall be restored to its full privileges, free and clear of the conditional terms of probation herein imposed; PROVIDED HOWEVER that in the event that the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL violates or fails to comply with any of the terms or conditions of this order during said period of probation, the Board, upon receipt by it of satisfactory evidence thereof, may forthwith terminate said probation, cancel and revoke the stay of execution and direct that the Order of Suspension herein may become effective immediately.

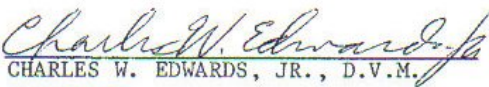
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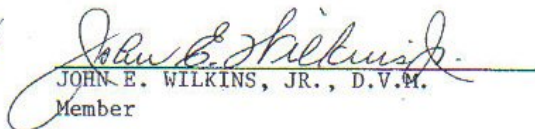
  
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Member

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 an investigation into the activities of one DR. LARRY O. HARRELL as a result of an application by the said LARRY O. HARRELL, filed with the Texas State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners, for reinstatement of Texas Veterinary Medical License No. 2752, which license had previously expired on March 1, 1973 because of the failure of the said LARRY O. HARRELL to timely pay the required annual renewal fee, 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. LARRY O. HARRELL 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 Article 7465a of the Civil Statutes of Texas (V.A.T.S.) and within the contemplation of Sections 14 and 15 of said statute, as follows, to wit:

1. That on or about the 29th day of June, 1976, the license to practice veterinary medicine in the State of Louisiana of the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL, was revoked by the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners of the State of Louisiana.

2. That on or about the 9th day of May, 1977, the said DR. LARRY O. HARRELL, was convicted of the offense of distribution of controlled substances in violation of 21 USC 841 (a) (1), a felony, and placed on probation in the United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana, Lake Charles Division in Cause No. 77-2004.

The above complaint, containing two counts, is submitted to the Executive Secretary of the Texas State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners this the 10<sup>TH</sup> 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 10<sup>th</sup> 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