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Chair
North Carolina Rules Review Commission
1711 New Hope Church Road
Raleigh, NC 27609

Re: N.C. Veterinary Medical Board – Request to Reschedule Periodic Review &
Expiration of Existing Rules

Dear Mr. Dunklin:

I write as the Rulemaking Coordinator for the N.C. Veterinary Medical Board. As you are aware, pursuant to 26 NCAC 05.0211, the Board is scheduled for the Periodic Review & Expiration of Existing Rules in August 2018.

The Board's proposed categorization of its rules was posted for public comment from May 5, 2017 to July 5, 2017. On July 25, the Board, having received no public comment, adopted the report. Given this the Board would like bring this process to conclusion. In addition, the Board is experiencing turnover in its staff and seeks an earlier review in order to ensure that the report is not accidentally overlooked during the transition. Accordingly, the Board members voted to instruct me to ask that the Rules Review Commission reschedule the review.

The Board respectfully requests that the Rules Review Commission review the Report at its November 2017 meeting, or as soon thereafter as is convenient for the Commission.

If you have any question, please contact me. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas M. Mickey".

Thomas M. Mickey
Rulemaking Coordinator