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**INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION**  
333 MARKET STREET, 14TH FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

October 19, 2000

Brian V. Harpster, V.M.D., Chairman  
State Board of Veterinary Medicine  
116 Pine Street  
Harrisburg, PA 17105

Re: Regulation #16A-579 (IRRC #2112)  
State Board of Veterinary Medicine  
Biennial Renewal Fees

Dear Chairman Harpster:

Since this proposal meets all of the criteria under Section 5(g), your regulation is approved. A copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Legislative Reference Bureau.

Any questions you or your staff may have, contact Robert E. Nyce, our Executive Director at 783-5506.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Alvin C. Bush".

Alvin C. Bush  
Vice Chairman

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cc: Honorable Mario J. Civera, Jr., Majority Chairman, House Professional Licensure Committee  
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Honorable Lisa M. Boscola, Minority Chairman, Senate Consumer Protection & Professional Licensure Committee  
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**State Board of Veterinary Medicine Regulation No. 16A-579  
Biennial Renewal Fees**

**Section 5(g) of the Regulatory Review Act provides that the Commission is deemed to have approved a final-form regulation when: the Commission did not file comments on the proposed regulation; the agency did not change the regulation from proposed to final-form; and the Standing Committees did not convey any recommendations, objections or comments on the regulation as proposed or in final-form.**

**The above-captioned regulation met these criteria; therefore, it was deemed approved on October 11, 2000.**