

VETERINARY SURGEONS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE (Chapter 529)

ORDER MADE BY AN INQUIRY COMMITTEE OF THE
VETERINARY SURGEONS BOARD OF HONG KONG

It is hereby notified that an Inquiry Committee of the Veterinary Surgeons Board of Hong Kong after due inquiry held in accordance with section 18 of the Veterinary Surgeons Registration Ordinance, Chapter 529 of the Laws of Hong Kong, found that Dr CHUNG Chen-hsi (Registration No.: R000265) was guilty of misconduct or neglect in a professional respect in that he, being a registered veterinary surgeon, on or about 22 September 2003, in the Tsuen Wan Veterinary Clinic at Ground Floor, Shop G, No. 57 Heung Wo Street, Tsuen Wan, New Territories, Hong Kong, in relation to treatment given to the complainant's dog, provided improper medications to the said dog in that he failed to pay regard or sufficient regard to the possible drug interactions and adverse effects.

Pursuant to section 19(d) of the Veterinary Surgeons Registration Ordinance, the Inquiry Committee ordered on 10 January 2006 that:—

- (i) a warning letter be served on Dr CHUNG, and
- (ii) Dr CHUNG shall complete 20 hours of training in clinical pharmacology in the 12 months starting from 10 January 2006, such training to be approved by the Board in advance. In the event of Dr CHUNG's failure to comply with the order, the following restriction on his practice shall be imposed and recorded in his practising certificate unless the Board with legitimate reason orders otherwise:—

'Dr Chung Chen Hsi shall only practise under the supervision of a registered veterinary surgeon who has at least 5 years relevant experience in small animal practice until such time he has fulfilled such requirements to be imposed by the Veterinary Surgeons Board, the supervisor and the arrangement for supervision to be approved by the Board.'

Veterinary Surgeons Board of Hong Kong