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Department of Justice
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RE: OLPR Report for Regulatory Project 2026-02
~ LAC 46LXXXV.1303 & 1305
~ Zoo Personnel

In accordance with the provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act, the Board of Veterinary Medicine published the first Notice of Intent related to proposed amendments to LAC 46LXXXV.1303 and 1305 in the March 20, 2026 edition of the *Louisiana Register*. These amendments will require the escape and capture protocols, the drug storage and use protocols, and the drug inventory protocols to be submitted to the Board every five years for review. Additionally, all laypersons must complete the chemical capture training course every three years and submit proof of completion to the Board for review.

The period for submission of public comments was March 21 to April 9, 2026 during which time the Board received no public comments and no requests for a public hearing.

Upon receive of a favorable opinion from the Occupational Licensing Review Program (OLRP), the Summary Report will be submitted to the Senate and House Legislative Oversight Committees on Agriculture, Forestry, Aquaculture, and Rural Development for review before final promulgation of the Rule into the *Louisiana Register*.

Please contact me directly at director@lsbvm.org or 225-925-6620 if the Board may be of any assistance to you concerning this rule.

For the Board:

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