

SEC. 2-304. POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE BOARD - IN GENERAL; RIGHT OF ENTRY.

(A) POWERS OF THE BOARD - IN GENERAL.

THE BOARD MAY:

(1) ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO EFFECTUATE THIS SUBTITLE;

(2) ENGAGE ADDITIONAL EMPLOYEES FOR PROFESSIONAL, CLERICAL, AND SPECIAL WORK AS NECESSARY AND AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET;

(3) SUBPOENA ANY WITNESS TO TAKE HIS TESTIMONY; AND

(4) REQUIRE PRODUCTION OF BOOKS, PAPERS, RECORDS, AND OTHER DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE, AND EXAMINE THEM IN RELATION TO ANY MATTER WHICH THE BOARD MAY INVESTIGATE OR HEAR.

(B) RIGHT OF ENTRY.

MEMBERS OR THEIR DESIGNATED INSPECTORS MAY ENTER VETERINARY FACILITIES AT ANY REASONABLE HOUR TO ENFORCE THE BOARD RULES AND REGULATIONS.

(C) MAINTAIN OFFICE IN STATE; LISTED TELEPHONE NUMBER.

THE BOARD SHALL MAINTAIN AN OFFICE WITHIN THE STATE AND A TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED FOR USE BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

(D) INSPECT VETERINARY HOSPITALS ANNUALLY.

THE BOARD SHALL INSPECT EVERY VETERINARY HOSPITAL FACILITY IN THE STATE AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) (1) is new language derived from the first sentence of Art. 43, §152(c), as amended by Ch. 817, Acts of 1973. Subsection (a) (2) is new language derived from Art. 43, §152(g), as amended by Ch. 817, Acts of 1973. Subsection (a) (3) and (4) is new language derived from Art. 43, §152(h), as amended by Ch. 817, Acts of 1973.

Subsection (b) is new language derived from