

REPORT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLEE OF THE AFRICAN VETERINARY ASSOCIATION held in YAOUNDE on 30th September 2009

The year 2009 and on the 30th September was held in Yaoundé - Cameroun, the African Veterinary Association general assemblée.

The following countries were present:

- Angola
- Cameroun
- Chad
- Djibouti
- Equatorial guinea
- Ghana
- Kenya
- Lesotho
- Madagascar
- Mali
- Central Africa Republic
- Sudan
- Togo
- Tunisia

After debates and discussions, the main resolutions taken are as follow:

Resolution 1: Cameroon shall launch the organization of Central Africa veterinary associations;

Resolution 2: Angola suggested along Cameroon to initiate and start up southern Africa veterinary associations;

Resolution 3: western and central Africa region is splited up in West Africa region and central Africa region in order to have five African representatives in the AVA executive committee;

Resolution 4: In order to complete the Executive Board to twelve statutory members, the following members have been either elected or appointed:

For Vice-Presidency:

- **Southern Africa:** Dr. Seeiso TABITHA (Lesotho)
- **Central Africa:** Dr. Maurice MAKEK (Cameroun)
- **Eastern Africa:** Dr. Christopher Wanga (Kenya)
- **Western Africa:** Dr. Vivianne IWAR (Nigeria)
- **Northern Africa:** Dr. Moukhatar FALL (Mauritanie)

For General Secretariat

- **Secretary General:** Dr TOUNKARA (Mali)
- **Deputy Secretary General:** Dr ZOUA DOUMAI MBAI (Chad)

For treasury

- **Treasurer:** Dr. YASSER (Soudan)
- **Assistant Treasurer:** Dr. OMAR TARHOUNI (Libya)

For presidency

- **President:** Dr. FAOUZI KECHRID (Tunisia)
- **Honorary president:** Dr KHALED EL HICHERI (Tunisia)

For Technical commissions

- **The Scientific Committee:** Dr. Mamadou Kané
- **The Commission of animal Health and Animal Production:** Dr. Fernand KOUMANDA (Central Africa Republic)
- **The commission of Veterinary Pharmacy :** Dr. Abdulhamid Shéhabuddine(Egypt)

Resolution 5: The newly above AVA executive committee ought to report on association's activities during the next congress.