Greetings,

In response to the email received, we want to inform you that our intention, as a scientific society at the national level (SOVEMEVEPA), has always been to belong to and maintain our membership of the WSAVA, we know that being part of this association is important and beneficial for the veterinary union in Venezuela, for this reason we would like to maintain it.

However, it is important that you know about the current situation of SOVEMEVEPA, which is in the process of restructuring its statutes and internal changes in terms of updating regulations and clauses in order to function better today and carry out a reactivation of it.

As you already know, the association has been inactive prior to the pandemic due to the economic crisis, diaspora of some managers, which our country experienced,. And, although it has not completely improved, we are seeing an interest from private companies that survived in the veterinary field, and indeed motivation to offer sponsorship. Currently we do not have the financial resources to maintain our paid membership, but we hope to activate the society as soon as possible (Beginning next year 2024) and restart activities and events that allow us to return to position ourselves in our country by encouraging colleagues of new generations to participate in courses, workshops, etc. and thus later have economic liquidity to continue operating.

For all of the above, we appeal to the goodwill and understanding that we know they have had in recent years, that they understand our situation that finally has a better outlook as of next year with the plan for the reactivation of the Society, we would like it possible to extend our courtesy membership until we can obtain a little economic fluidity and thus not lose the benefits of belonging to the WSAVA.

We appreciate all the understanding you have had with our case and the situation in our country.

Thank you,

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