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Dr. Bernadette Dunham received her DVM in 1975 from the Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph, Canada and her Ph.D. in 1984 from Boston University, MA. Following several years in private clinical practice, Dr. Dunham served as Director of Laboratory Animal Medicine and Adjunct Professor of Pharmacology from 1989-1995 at the SUNY Health Science Center, Syracuse, N.Y. From 1995-2002 she was Assistant Director of the American Veterinary Medical Association's Governmental Relations Division, Washington, D.C. Dr. Dunham joined the Food and Drug Administration's Center for Veterinary Medicine in 2002 as Deputy Director of the Office of New Animal Drug Evaluation. In 2006 she became the Director of the Office of Minor Use and Minor Species. Dr. Dunham was appointed to her current position as Director for the Center for Veterinary Medicine in 2008.

Dr. Dunham has served on peer review panels for the National Academies of Science, the American Heart Association - New York State Affiliate, United States Department of Agriculture-Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, Competitive Programs, and the National Institutes of Health. Dr. Dunham also served as the Chairperson for the 18<sup>th</sup> Session of the Codex Alimentarius Committee on Residues of Veterinary Drugs in Foods. Dr. Dunham served as Adjunct Professor in the Department of Biomedical Sciences and Pathobiology at the Virginia-Maryland Regional College of Veterinary Medicine, from 1996-2012.

