

## **SUMMARY STATEMENT**

### ***Vickers v. Idaho Board of Veterinary Medicine, Docket No. 47270***

The Idaho Supreme Court affirmed the district court's order to dismiss Kirby Vickers's suit against the Idaho Board of Veterinary Medicine for lack of subject-matter jurisdiction. Vickers mailed a grievance letter to the Board in March 2015, alleging negligent care and ethical violations by his veterinarian. After the Board closed the case, Vickers filed a complaint in the district court to request a writ or order requiring the Board conduct a hearing on the matter. The Board then filed a motion under Idaho Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and the district court granted the motion. On appeal, the Idaho Supreme Court affirmed the order, holding that Vickers lacked standing to pursue judicial review under Idaho's Administrative Procedure Act because (1) there was no contested case and (2) he was not an aggrieved person for the purposes of the Act.