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GATLINBURG, TN – **Larry A. Kerr, DVM**, Professor of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Tennessee, College of Veterinary Medicine, was honored by the Tennessee Veterinary Medical Association (TVMA) in an awards ceremony during the association's 2003 Summer Mid-year meeting and Seminar recently held at the Glenstone Lodge in Gatlinburg, TN.

Dr. Kerr received the 2003 "Outstanding Faculty Member Award," presented annually to a veterinary school faculty member who has made exceptional contributions to the profession, academic instruction, and to the inspiration of veterinary students at the University of Tennessee.

Dr. Kerr attended Oklahoma State University, where he received both his MS and DVM degrees. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Veterinary Toxicologists, as well as the American Board of Veterinary Toxicology.

Currently serving as Associate Professor of the Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences at the University of Tennessee, College of Veterinary Medicine, Dr. Kerr's clinical interest lies in the area of food animal herd health. Dr. Kerr is widely published, and he is well known for his special interest in food animal toxicoses.

An 800-member association, TVMA was incorporated in 1909 as a professional association to promote and improve the science and art of veterinary medicine. In addition, members of the association work to ensure that laws and regulations promote the health and well being of all animals, large and small, as well as protect the public health and human welfare.

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