Dear honorable experts and scholars,

We are looking forward to your arrival in Nanjing with great zest. And we are appreciating that you will reply to us punctually.

Research Center of the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine, Institute of Chinese Agricultural Civilization, Nanjing Agricultural University
14th April 2005

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The Notice of China's Initial Seminar on the History of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine

In order to conclude and accelerate the research on the China history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine, Chinese Agricultural history society (China Agricultural History Association) • China association of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine (Chinese Association of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine) will hold the China initial seminar on the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine in Nanjing Agricultural University during 25th to 28th October 2005, and meanwhile the ceremony of setting up the research center of the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine, as well as the committee of the ancient recorders of the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine. Now the matters concerned are as follows:

I. The Theme of the conference and academic reports
1. The Theme of the conference
   ☆ The research on China's ancient and modern history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine.
   ☆ The research on the present history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine as well as compiling ancient recorders on Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine.
   ☆ The research on the history of the exchange between China and foreign countries as well as between Taiwan and Mainland.
   ☆ Examine and approve on the higher agricultural academic text book “History of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine”.
   ☆ Study on the Professor XIE Cheng-xia's academic ideology on the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine.
2. Academic Reports
   ☆ Research on the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine and the prevention of the modern animal epidemic disease.
   (Professor YU Chuan from China Agricultural University, the honorable director of China's Association of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine is invited to give a report)
   ☆ Research on the history and development of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine in Taiwan.
   (Professor LIN Jen-Hsou from Taiwan University, the former chairman of
Taiwan Association of Chinese Traditional Veterinary Science is invited to give a report)

Research on Japan's as well as world's history of veterinary.
(Doctor KUROKAWA Kazuo from Nippon Veterinary and Animal science university, Chairman of Japanese Society of Veterinary History, is invited to give a report)

Traits of Chinese Yearbooks and compiling the yearbook of pasturage and veterinary.
(Newsrooms of “China Stockbreeding Yearbook”, “China Forage Industry Yearbook” and “China Milk Industry Yearbook”)

compiling ancient recorders on Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine and the research of prevent agricultural history.
(Researcher ZHENG You-gui The Director of prevent agricultural history the center of Research Center for Rural Economy Ministry of Agriculture, the vice-director of the agricultural history)

II. Units concerned
1. Main sponsors: China Agricultural History Association (CAHA)
   China Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine Association (CAAV)
2. Assistant sponsors: College of Animal Science and Technology, Nanjing Agricultural University
   College of Veterinary Medicine, Nanjing Agricultural University
   Pasturage Bureau, Department of Agriculture and forest of Jiangsu Province
   Pasturage and Veterinary Association of Jiangsu Province
   Taiwan Association of Chinese Traditional Veterinary Science
3. Undertaker: Research Center of the history of Animal Science and Veterinary Medicine, Institute of Chinese Agricultural Civilization, Nanjing Agricultural University

III. Soliciting articles for the conference
1. Solicit academic articles with high quality which are related to the theme of the conference
2. Scholars who want to attend the conference, send you topic and abstract of the paper to secretary of the committee before 10th May 2005, and submit your paper before 1st August 2005
3. After the conference, qualified papers are to be published

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CHENG Hai-juan (master of science and technology history in NAU)

8th April 2005