## **1997 EWDA REPORT**

T. Morner gave the following report for the European Section of WDA (EWDA). The work within this section is progressing and the section continuously is contacted by scientists in Europe. The second conference of EWDA was in Wroclaw (Poland) 16 to 21 October 1996. The next conference will be in Edinburgh (Scotland, UK) in September 1998. The board of the European Wildlife Disease Association consists of T. Morner (Sweden, Chairman); H. Reid (Scotland, Vice Chairman); S. Kennedy (Northern Ireland, Secretary); and M. Artois (France, Treasurer). The Editor of the European Newsletter is S. Kennedy. T. Morner discussed last year's meeting in Poland and the upcoming meeting in Edinburgh which will be on viral diseases. He asked for (1) \$1,000.00 to cover losses incurred during the Poland meeting and (2) \$1,000.00 to cover travel costs for a student award for the European section meeting. This second request was deferred until the student activities report. A motion was made to reimburse the European section \$1,000.00 to cover losses incurred with the meeting in Poland last year. The motion was passed.

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