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Succeeding Dean Robert Marshak at the School of Veterinary Medicine on July 7 will be an alumnus. Dr. Edwin J. Andrews, now vice-president for research and development at Johnson & Johnson Cardiovascular. Dr. Andrews, who took his baccalaureate degree at Penn State in 1964, came to Penn for a V.M.D. in 1967, then added a Ph.D. in 1971 from the School of Arts and Sciences. From 1968-71 he was a research fellow at the Institute for Cancer Research at Fox Chase.

Appointed to the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center's graduate faculty of medicine in 1971, he joined the graduate faculty at Cornell in 1974 as associate professor of laboratory animal medicine and veterinary pathology and as director of the Laboratory Animal Diagnostic Resource.

In 1977 Dr. Andrews took the first of four management positions he has held with Johnson & Johnson: section manager of its Ethicon, Inc., 1977-79; vice-president for research and development and member of the management board of Vascor, Inc., 1979-82; worldwide marketing director of Hancock Cardiovascular Products Group, Extracorporeal, Inc., 1982-84; and then the present post in King of Prussia, where he is responsible for regulatory and clinical affairs and quality assurance, as well as research and development.

While in academic posts, Dr. Andrews served on admissions, curriculum, and animal welfare committees; on National Academy of Sciences/NRC committees involving animal diseases and genetics; and then later on a number of councils of the American Heart Association and on committees of the Association for Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care. Author of some 50 basic research papers, he has continued to publish and present at scientific conferences since moving to research and development with Johnson & Johnson units.

Dr. Andrews is a diplomate of the American College of Laboratory Animal Medicine and a diplomate of the American College of Veterinary Pathologists. He belongs to a number of professional organizations, among them the American and Pennsylvania Veterinary Medical Associations, the Veterinary Cancer Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Society of Laboratory Animal Practitioners, American Society of Industrial Veterinarians, and many others.

Dr. Andrews named it "a challenge, an opportunity, and certainly an honor" to follow Deans Mark Allam, now emeritus, and Robert Marshak, who has headed the School for the last 14 of his 30 years at Penn. President Hackney called Dr. Andrews an excellent choice for a school with a tradition of excellence in leadership—citing in Dr. Marshak's case the building of the new small animal hospital in Philadelphia, expansion of the large animal hospital at New Bolton Center, where Dr. Marshak had established the National Cancer Institute-sponsored Bovine Leukemia Research Center in 1965 and where the C. Mahlon Kline Center is regarded as the most advanced equine treatment center in the world.

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