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DALLAS -- Dr. Mervyn B. Starnes has been installed as president of the the Texas Branch of the American Association for Laboratory Animal Science at its annual meeting at the Medical Branch of The University of Texas at Galveston.

The American Association for Laboratory Animal Science is a society of persons and institutions professionally concerned with the production, care and use of laboratory animals used in teaching and research in the biomedical sciences. Texas is one of 21 branches of the national society which has a membership in excess of 2,000. Dr. Starnes also is chairman of the local arrangements committee for the national societies annual meeting in Dallas during October of this year.

Dr. Starnes is an associate professor on the faculty of The University of Texas Southwestern Medical School at Dallas and director of the Animal Resources Center at that school. He is a member of numerous scientific societies and is a fellow and life member of the American Public Health Association, fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Veterinary Medical Association and the New York Academy of Science.

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