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Ms. Kathleen Kilpatrick, Director Department of Historic Resources 2801 Kensington Avenue Richmond, VA 23221

Re: Proposed Public Participation Guidelines, 17 VAC 5-10

Dear Kathleen:

I have reviewed the above-mentioned amendments and find that they are within the Department's statutory authority contained in § 10.1-2202 and 2205 of the Code of Virginia and are as required by Chapter 321 of the 2008 Acts of Assembly.

With kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely,

Steven O. Owens

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