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MEMORANDUM

- TO: Corie Tillman Wolf, J.D. **Executive Director** Virginia Board of Long-Term Care Administrators
- FROM: Erin L. Barrett Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** September 26, 2016
- **SUBJECT:** Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing Home Administrators 18VAC95-20-10 et seq. Regulations Governing the Practice of Assisted Living Facility Administrators 18VAC95-30-10 et seq.

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing Home Administrators, 18VAC95-20-10 et seq. and the proposed amendments to the Regulations Governing the Practice of Assisted Living Facility Administrators, 18VAC95-30-10 et seq. The proposed amendments allow two hours of continuing education credit to be satisfied by the delivery of services, without compensation, to low-income individuals receiving health services through a local health department or a free clinic organized in whole or in part for the delivery of such services. The proposed amendments are consistent with changes in the Code of Virginia following the passage of 2016 Va. Acts ch. 82. The Board has the statutory authority to amend these regulations under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400(6). The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.