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Elizabeth A. Carter, Ph.D. Executive Director Board of Veterinary Medicine Department of Health Professions 6603 West Broad Street, 5th Floor Richmond, Virginia 23230

Re: 18 VAC 150-20-10 et seq.

Regulations Governing the Practice of Veterinary Medicine

Clarification in definition of surgery; change in definition of supervision

Dear Dr. Carter:

I have reviewed the regulation cited above. The Board of Veterinary Medicine has legal authority to promulgate the regulation.

Sincerely,

Emily O. Wingfield Assistant Attorney General

cc: Elaine Yeatts, Department of Health Professions