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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Dr. David Brown

Director

Virginia Department of Health Professions

**FROM:** Charis A. Mitchell

**Assistant Attorney General** 

**DATE:** August 3, 2015

**SUBJECT:** Regulations Governing the Practice of Veterinary Medicine

18 VAC 150-20-70

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Veterinary Medicine*, 18 VAC 150-20-70, which were adopted by the Board of Veterinary Medicine on July 15, 2015. The Board has the authority to adopt these regulations under Virginia Code §§54.1-2400 and 54.1-3805.2. The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.