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MEMORANDUM

To: Erin Williams, Policy and Planning Coordinator

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From: Joshua E. Laws

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Date: June 29, 2012

Subject: Letter of Approval for Final Review of Regulation 11 VAC 15-40

I have reviewed the Amended Regulations issued by the Charitable Gaming Board. In my view, as counsel to the Charitable Gaming Board, the Board may promulgate these regulations, pursuant to § 18.2-340.15 of the *Code of Virginia*. The regulations do not appear, on their face, to conflict with the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Virginia, nor do they appear to conflict with federal or state law currently in effect.

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