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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Charis A. Mitchell
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DATE: September 25, 2013

SUBJECT: *Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing*
18VAC 90-20-10

I have reviewed the amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing*, 18 VAC 90-20-10. The changes are made in order to correct a technical error by updating the name of the accrediting entity. This action is exempt from the operation of the Administrative Process Act and review by the Executive Branch under Virginia Code § 2.2-4006(A)(3) in order to fix an error. The Board has the authority to adopt this regulation under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400. The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.