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The Honorable David K. Paylor, Director
Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
629 East Main Street
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Re: Authority to Promulgate Hazardous Waste Regulations, 9 VAC 20-60
Immediate Final Rule 2006

Dear Mr. Paylor:

I have reviewed the above-referenced regulation. It is my opinion that the Waste Management Board has authority to promulgate the regulation under applicable law, including Chapter 14 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia. Based upon your agency's representations, it is also my view that the Board has authority to promulgate the regulation under Va. Code Ann. § 2.2-4006.A.4.c.

If I may be of any further assistance to you relating to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Cathie F. Hutchins
Assistant Attorney General
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