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MEMORANDUM

TO: Karen Shelton

Commissioner

Virginia Department of Health

FROM: Allyson K. Tysinger

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DATE: December 14, 2023

SUBJECT: Board of Health Regulations Governing Vital Records, 12VAC 5-550-10 et seq.

I have reviewed the amendments to the *Board of Health Regulations Governing Vital Records*, 12 VAC 5-550-10 *et seq.*, which were approved by the Board of Health on June 15, 2023. The Board of Health has the statutory authority to adopt these amendments under Virginia Code §§ 32.1-12. The proposed Regulations are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.