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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Marissa J. Levine, MD, MPH  
Commissioner, Department of Health

**FROM:** Grant E. Kronenberg *GEK*  
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**DATE:** July 5, 2017

**SUBJECT:** Periodic Review of Regulations  
Sanitary Regulations for Hotels, 12VAC5-431-10 *et seq.*

In accordance with Code of Virginia § 2.2-4017 and Executive Order 17 (2014), I have reviewed the Sanitary Regulations for Hotels, 12VAC5-431-10 *et seq.* These regulations are undergoing periodic review. In my opinion, the Board of Health had the authority under the Code of Virginia to adopt the current regulations and has the authority to amend the regulations, consistent with its statutory authority, if it so chooses.