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## MEMORANDUM

To: William C. Shelton, Director  
Department of Housing and Community Development

From: William A. Diamond  
Senior Assistant Attorney General

Date: August 12, 2005

Subject: Amended Regulations – Virginia Certification Standards  
(13 VAC 5-21-10 through 70)

At your request, I have reviewed the proposed amended Sections 13 VAC 5-21-10 through 70 of the Virginia Administrative Code.

In my view, as counsel to your agency and the Board of Housing and Community Development, the Board possesses the statutory authority to promulgate the aforesaid regulations under § 36-137 of the Code of Virginia.