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MEMORANDUM

To: Pia Trigiani, Chairman

Common Interest Community Board

Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation

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Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation

From: Steven P. Jack

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Date: February 24, 2009

Subject: Letter of Assurance for Proposed Board Regulations 18 VAC 48-20

I have reviewed the Common Interest Community Board's proposed emergency adoption of condominium regulations, particularly 18 VAC 48-20-10 *et seq.*, that were listed on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall Internet site on February 20, 2009. In my view, as counsel to the Common Interest Community Board, these regulations may be promulgated pursuant to §§ 54.1-201(5) and 55-79.98 of the *Code of Virginia*. The regulations do not appear to conflict with the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Virginia, nor do they appear to conflict with any federal or state law currently in effect.

This memorandum addresses legal matters only and is not intended to serve, nor should it be construed, as a comment for or against the merits of the proposed regulations.