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Lisa Russell Hahn Executive Director Virginia Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology 6603 West Broad Street Richmond, VA 23230-1717

RE: Proposed Regulations 18VAC30-20-10 et seq. Regulations Governing the Practice of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology

Dear Ms. Hahn:

I have reviewed the Proposed Regulations, as cited above, in accordance with the Administrative Process Act. The amended regulations to establish criteria for provisional licensure are constitutional and in conformity with statutory provisions.

Sincerely,

Jack Edward Kotvas

Assistant Attorney General

c: Elaine J. Yeatts, Agency Regulatory Coordinator Department of Health Professions