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MEMORANDUM

- TO: Dr. David Brown Director Virginia Department of Health Professions
- FROM: James E. Rutkowski Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** September 30, 2019
- **SUBJECT:** *Regulations Governing the Practice of Social Work* 18VAC140-20

I have reviewed the amendment to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Social Work*, 18VAC140-20, as adopted by the Board of Social Work on September 20, 2019. The Board has the statutory authority to adopt this regulation under Virginia Code §§ 2.2-4805 and 54.1-2400. The proposed amendment is constitutional and does not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.