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## MEMORANDUM

**To:** Liza Fleeson Trossbach

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Office of Pesticide Services

Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

Sandra J. Adams Commissioner

Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services

From: Justin I. Bell

Assistant Attorney General

**Date:** October 11, 2017

**Subject:** Letter of Assurance for Regulations Governing the Pesticide Fees Charged By the Department

of Agriculture and Consumer Services, 2 VAC 5-675.

I have reviewed the Virginia Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services' proposed Regulations Governing the Pesticide Fees Charged By the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. In my view, as counsel to the Virginia Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services, these regulations may be promulgated pursuant to § 3.2-3906 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 appeal 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.