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MEMORANDUM

TO: Leonard G. Cooke, Director
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FROM: James Towey
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DATE: December 16, 2004

SUBJECT: Regulations Relating to Special Conservators of the Peace – 6 VAC 20-230-10 et seq.

In response to a request from the Department of Criminal Justice Services, I have reviewed the proposed regulations, 6 VAC 20-230-10 *et seq.*, relating to special conservators of the peace. Upon review of the aforesaid regulations, and in accordance with Executive Order 21 (2002), I find the proposed regulations to be constitutional, consistent with the statutory authority conferred by § 9.1-150.2 *et seq.* of the Code of Virginia, consistent with § 19.2-13 of the Code of Virginia, and in conformity with existing statutory provisions.

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