MEMORANDUM

ТО:	Ryan Brown Director Department of Wildlife Resources
FROM:	Kelci A. Block Assistant Attorney General
DATE:	November 2, 2022
RE:	Proposed Amendment to Regulation

It is my opinion that the Department of Wildlife Resources has authority to promulgate the amendments to 4 VAC 15-350 *et. seq.* under Va. Code § 29.1-103, 501, and 502. It is further my opinion that the regulations are exempt from the provisions of the Virginia Administrative Process Act pursuant to § 2.2-4002(A)(3) of the Code of Virginia.

The foregoing conclusion is my own. It does not constitute an opinion, formal or informal, of the Attorney General. If I may be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.