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## **MEMORANDUM**

- TO: Dr. Marissa J. Levine, Commissioner Department of Health
- **FROM:** Allyson K. Tysinger Senior Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** July 14, 2017
- **SUBJECT:** Virginia's Rules and Regulations Governing Cooperative Agreements 12 VAC 5-221

I have reviewed the regulation titled *Virginia's Rules and Regulations Governing Cooperative Agreements*, 12 VAC 5-221, that was adopted by the State Board of Health on March 16, 2017. The Board has the statutory authority to promulgate this regulation under 2015 Va. Acts ch. 741 and Virginia Code § 32.1-12. The proposed regulation is constitutional and does not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.