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The Honorable David K. Paylor, Director
Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
629 East Main Street
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Re: Authority to Promulgate Final Regulation H05, Minor New Source Review, 9 VAC 5-80
et seq.

Dear Director Paylor:

I have reviewed the above-referenced regulation. It is my opinion that the State Air Pollution Control Board has authority to promulgate the regulation under applicable law, including Chapter 13 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia and that the proposed amendment comports with applicable state law.

If I may be of any further assistance to you relating to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kerri L. Nicholas".

Kerri L. Nicholas
Assistant Attorney General