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Elizabeth A. Carter, Ph.D.
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RE: Proposed Fast-track Regulations
18 VAC 75-20-10 et seq. Regulations Governing Practitioner Self-Referral

Dear Dr. Carter:

I have reviewed the Proposed Fast-track Regulations, as cited above, in accordance with the Administrative Process Act. The amended regulation to set out criteria for delegation of applications for advisory opinions or exceptions to the provisions of the Self-Referral Act is constitutional and in conformity with statutory provisions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy L. Marschean".

Amy Marschean
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c: Elaine J. Yeatts, Agency Regulatory Coordinator
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