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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Charis A. Mitchell
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DATE: March 9, 2018

SUBJECT: *Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry*
18 VAC 105-20-5 *et seq.*

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry*, 18 VAC 105-20-5 *et seq.*, that were adopted by the Virginia Board of Optometry on March 2, 2018. The Board has the authority to adopt these regulations under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400. The proposed regulations are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.