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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Charis A. Mitchell
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DATE: October 30, 2020

SUBJECT: *Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry*
18 VAC 105-20-47

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry*, 18 VAC 105-20-47, that were adopted by the Virginia Board of Optometry on October 16, 2020. The Board has the authority to adopt these regulations under Virginia Code §§ 54.1-2400 and 54.1-3408.02. The proposed regulations are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.