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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mira Signer
Acting Commissioner
Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services

FROM: Braden J. Curtis
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DATE: August 29, 2019

SUBJECT: *Rules and Regulations for Licensing Providers by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services*
Provision of provider statement to any other provider
12VAC35-105-435

I have reviewed the proposed amendment to add a new section 12VAC35-105-435 to the *Rules and Regulations for Licensing Providers by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services*, which was adopted by the Board of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services ("Board") on July 17, 2019. The Board has the authority to adopt this amendment pursuant to 2019 Va. Acts ch. 776 and Virginia Code § 37.2-203. The proposed amendment to this regulation is constitutional and does not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.