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MEMORANDUM

To: Vaughn B. Rinner, Chairman
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Subject: Letter of Assurance for Amendments to Board Regulations

I have reviewed the APELSCIDLA Board's fast-track amendments to its regulations, particularly 18 VAC 10-20-230, that were posted on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall internet site on September 1, 2006. In my view, as counsel to the APELSCIDLA Board, these regulations may be promulgated pursuant to §§ 54.1-201(5), 54.1-404, 54.1-411(C), 13.1-549, and 13.1-1111 of the *Code of Virginia*. The regulations do not appear to conflict with the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Virginia, nor do they appear to conflict with any federal or state law currently in effect.

This memorandum addresses legal matters only and is not intended to serve, nor should it be construed, as a comment for or against the merits of the proposed regulations.

