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MEMORANDUM

- TO: Arne Owens Director Virginia Department of Health Professions
- **FROM:** M. Brent Saunders Senior Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** August 16, 2024
- **SUBJECT:** *Regulations Governing the Practice of Occupational Therapy* 18VAC85-80

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Occupational Therapy*, 18VAC85-80, as adopted by the Board of Medicine on June 13, 2024. The Board has the authority to adopt these regulations under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400. The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.