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## MEMORANDUM

- TO: Dr. David Brown Director Virginia Department of Health Professions
- FROM: Charis A. Mitchell Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** May 24, 2016
- **SUBJECT:** *Regulations Governing the Practice of Veterinary Medicine* 18 VAC 150-20-10 *et seq.*

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Veterinary Medicine*, 18 VAC 150-20-10 *et seq.*, that were adopted by the Board of Veterinary Medicine on February 16, 2016. 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.