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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Kathryn Hayfield

Commissioner

Virginia Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services

FROM: Vanessa MacLeod

**Assistant Attorney General** 

**DATE:** October 23, 2020

**SUBJECT:** Periodic Review of the *Public Participation Guidelines*, 22 VAC 30-11

In accordance with Virginia Code §§ 2.2-4007.1 and 2.2-4017 and Executive Order 14 (2018), I have reviewed the Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services' *Public Participation Guidelines*, 22 VAC 30-11. These regulations are undergoing periodic review. In my opinion, the Commissioner had the authority under Virginia Code § 51.5-131 to adopt the current regulations, and the Commissioner has the authority to amend the regulations.