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The Honorable David K. Paylor, Director
Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
629 East Main Street
Richmond, Virginia 23219

Re: Authority to Promulgate Regulations concerning the Hazardous Waste
Management Regulations, 9 VAC 20-60 (Immediate Final Rule 2008-2010)

Dear Mr. Paylor:

I have reviewed the above-referenced regulations. It is my opinion that the Waste Management Board has authority to promulgate the regulations under applicable law, including Chapter 14 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia. Based upon your agency's representations, it is also my view that the Board has authority to promulgate the amendments to 9VAC20-60-18 and 9VAC20-60-261.B.9 under Va. Code Ann. § 2.2-4006.A.4.c. Updates to the DEQ mailing address in 9VAC20-60-261 and the revision of the Federal Register reference in 9VAC20-60-260, 261, and 270 may be promulgated under Va. Code Ann. § 2.2-4006.A.3.

If I may be of any further assistance to you relating to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ryan J. Brown".

Ryan J. Brown
Assistant Attorney General