MEMORANDUM

TO: Charlene J. Vincent, Coordinator

Interdepartmental Regulation of Children's Residential Facilities

FROM: Jane D. Hickey

Senior Assistant Attorney General

DATE: April 2, 2007

SUBJECT: Standards for Interagency Regulation of Children's Residential Facilities

(22 VAC 42-11-10 et seq.)

I have reviewed the proposed *Standards for Interagency Regulation of Children's Residential Facilities*. The Boards of Education; Juvenile Justice; Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services; and Social Services have the authority under Va. Code §§ 16.1-309.9, 22.1-321, 37.2-203, 37.2-404, 63.2-1734, 63.2-1737, 66-10 and 66-24 to adopt the regulations. They do not conflict with existing federal or state law or regulations and do not violate constitutional principles.

If this Office can be of further assistance concerning the revision of these regulations, please feel free to contact us.

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