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MEMORANDUM

TO: David Paylor, Director

Virginia Department of Environmental Quality

FROM: Matthew L. Gooch

Assistant Attorney General

DATE: September 15, 2014

RE: Fast-track action amending definition of volatile organic

compound, 9VAC5-10 (Rev. E14)

I have reviewed the above-referenced amendments to the regulations of the State Air Pollution Control Board. It is my opinion that the Board has the authority to adopt these amendments to the regulations based upon applicable law, including Article 1 of Chapter 13 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia, and specifically, Code § 10.1-1308.

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