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MEMORANDUM

TO: Arne Owens

Director

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FROM: Laura Ann Booberg

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DATE: December 20, 2023

SUBJECT: Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry

18VAC105-20

I have reviewed the proposed amendment to the *Regulations Governing the Practice of Optometry*, 18VAC105-20, which was adopted by the Board of Optometry on July 14, 2023. The Board has the authority to adopt the regulations under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400. The proposed amendment is constitutional and does not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.