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MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Thomas L. York, Ph.D., HCLD

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Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services

FROM: Karri B. Atwood

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DATE: March 21, 2013

RE: Proposed Revisions to the Certification for Noncommercial Environmental Laboratories

I have reviewed the proposed revisions to the regulations for *Certification for Noncommercial Environmental Laboratories*, 1 VAC 30-45 *et seq*. The revisions are proposed to update the procedural and fee requirements of the certification process.

It is my view that the Division of Consolidated Laboratory Services, contingent on approval by the Governor, has legal authority to promulgate the subject revisions to the regulations pursuant to *Code of Virginia* § 2.2-1102, §2.2-1104, and § 2.2-1105. If I may be of any further assistance to you relating to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.