MEMORANDUM

- **TO:** M. Norman Oliver, MD, MA Commissioner, Department of Health
- FROM: Amanda L. Lavin Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** July 12, 2019
- SUBJECT: Periodic Review of Regulations Rules and Regulations Governing Outpatient Health Data Reporting, 12VAC5-218

In accordance with Code of Virginia §§ 2.2-4007.1 and 2.2-4017, and Executive Order 14 (as amended July 16, 2018), I have reviewed the Rules and Regulations Governing Outpatient Health Data Reporting, 12VAC5-218. These regulations are undergoing periodic review. In my opinion, the Board had the authority under Virginia Code § 32.1-276.6 to adopt the current regulations, and the Board has the authority to amend the regulations if it so chooses.