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The Honorable David K. Paylor Virginia Department of Environmental Quality 629 East Main Street Richmond, Virginia 23219

> Re: Authority to Promulgate Regulations for the Development of Solid Waste Management Plans 9 VAC 20-130, Amendment 2 Final

Dear Director Paylor:

I have reviewed the above-referenced regulation. In my view, the Waste Management Board has authority to promulgate the regulation under applicable law, including Chapter 14 of Title 10.1 of the Code of Virginia.

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

Sincerely,

Cathie F. Hutchins Assistant Attorney General