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Jay P. Douglas, R.N. **Executive Director** Virginia Board of Nursing 6603 West Broad Street Richmond, VA 23230-1712

RE: 18 V AC 90-20-10 et seq. Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing

Dear Ms. Douglas:

I have reviewed the proposed regulations, as cited above, in accordance with the Administrative Process Act. The amended regulations to implement provisions of the Nurse Licensure Compact are constitutional and in conformity with statutory provisions of Chapter 49 of the 2004 Acts of the Assembly.

Sincerely,

Howard M. Casway

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cc: Elaine J. Yeatts, Agency Regulatory Coordinator Department of Health Professions