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MEMORANDUM

- TO: Arne Owens Director Virginia Department of Health Professions
- FROM: Laura Ann Booberg Senior Assistant Attorney General
- **DATE:** August 25, 2023
- SUBJECT: Regulations Governing the Licensure of Nurse Practitioners 18VAC90-30 Regulations for Prescriptive Authority for Nurse Practitioners 18VAC90-40

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to 18VAC90-30, *Regulations Governing the Licensure of Nurse Practitioners*, and 18VAC90-40, *Regulations for Prescriptive Authority for Nurse Practitioners*, which were adopted by the Board of Nursing on May 22, 2023, by exempt action, effective July 1, 2023.

The Board has the authority to adopt the regulations under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400. The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.