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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: James E. Rutkowski
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DATE: July 12, 2023

SUBJECT: *Regulations Governing the Licensure of Pharmacists and Registration of Pharmacy Technicians*
18VAC110-21

I have reviewed the proposed amendments to the *Regulations Governing the Licensure of Pharmacists and Registration of Pharmacy Technicians*, 18VAC110-21, which were adopted by the Board of Pharmacy on March 30, 2023. The Board has the authority to adopt the regulations under Va. Code § 54.1-2400. The regulations are not expected to be controversial and are therefore appropriate for the fast-track rule making process pursuant to Va. Code § 2.2-4012.1. The proposed amendments are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.