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MEMORANDUM

TO: Joseph H. Maroon

Director, Department of Conservation and Recreation

FROM: Elizabeth A. Andrews

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DATE: October 13, 2009

RE: Virginia State Park Regulations, 4 VAC 5-30

I have reviewed the final amendments to the Virginia State Park Regulations attached to David Dowling's email to me of October 9.

It is my opinion as agency counsel that the Department of Conservation and Recreation has authority to adopt these amendments as final regulations based upon applicable law, including Article 1 of Chapter 1 and Article 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 10.1 of the **CODE** of Virginia.

If I may be of further assistance, please advise.

cc: David C. Dowling