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MEMORANDUM

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DATE: October 8, 2015

SUBJECT: *Virginia's Rules and Regulations Governing Cooperative Agreements*
12 VAC 5-221

I have reviewed the proposed *Virginia's Rules and Regulations Governing Cooperative Agreements*, 12 VAC 5-221, that were adopted by the Board of Health on September 17, 2015. The Board has the statutory authority to promulgate these emergency Regulations under Virginia Code § 32.1-12 and 2015 Va. Acts ch. 741. The proposed emergency Regulations are constitutional and do not conflict with existing federal or state laws or regulations.