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MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. David E. Brown

Director

Virginia Department of Health Professions

FROM: Charis A. Mitchell

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DATE: November 9, 2018

SUBJECT: Periodic Review of the Regulations Governing Practitioner Self-Referral

18 VAC 75-20

In accordance with Virginia Code § 2.2-4017, I have reviewed the Board of Health Professions' *Regulations Governing Practitioner Self-Referral*, 18 VAC 75-20. These regulations are undergoing periodic review. In my opinion, the Board had the authority under Virginia Code § 54.1-2400 to adopt the current regulations, and the Board has the authority to amend the regulations.