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flows as that work proceeds. Limiting that authority would be inconsistent with the Commonwealth's own nitrogen-reduction efforts and inadequate to protect the sensitive resources of Cape Cod and the Islands.

CIMLA therefore respectfully requests that EOHLC preserve the authority of local boards of health under M.G.L. c. 111, § 31 to adopt wastewater and nitrogen-control regulations that are stricter than Title 5, provided those regulations apply equally to new bedrooms or design flow on all residential properties and do not single out ADUs.

Thank you for considering these comments.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Leslie J. Sandberg". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Leslie" and last name "Sandberg" clearly legible.

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