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① Agency: Board of Agriculture and Consumer Services

② VAC Number/Chapter Title: 2 VAC 5-501 / Regulations Governing the Cooling, Storing, Sampling, and Transporting of Milk

③ Effective Date of Final Regulation (leave blank for proposed stage): September 4, 2020

④ Name of Document Incorporated by Reference (include edition or effective/revised date):  
3-A Sanitary Standards for Farm Milk Storage Tanks, Number 30-02, eff. July 2018

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3-A Sanitary Standards for Farm Milk Storage Tanks cover the sanitary aspects of tanks in which bulk milk is stored on dairy farms. 3-A Sanitary Standards are developed through the cooperative efforts of industry experts and provide material specifications, design criteria, and other necessary information for equipment types to satisfy public health concerns.

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VDACS - Dairy Services

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Richmond, VA 23219

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3-A Sanitary Standards, Inc.

6888 Elm Street, Suite 2D

McLean, VA 22101

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**3-A Sanitary Standard for  
Farm Raw Milk Storage Tanks,  
Number 30-02**

***Standards Developing Organizations***  
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***In collaboration with***  
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