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Dear Ms. Timmons:

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. §14.05, subd.5, below is the report on obsolete, unnecessary and duplicative rules of the Minnesota Board of Animal Health, for the year 2012.

The repeal of rules identified as obsolete, unnecessary and duplicative for 2012 is included in another rulemaking process. The Notice of Intent for this rulemaking and repeal was published in the State Register on July 23, 2012. The Board proposed the repeal of all rules contained in *Minnesota Rules* Chapters 1700, 1705, 1710, 1715, and 1720. Simultaneously, the Board proposed Adoption of new Rules.

A hearing was held in September 2012, and the administrative law judge issued findings in December 2012. The Board modified the proposed rules in accordance with the judge's decision. The Board is currently awaiting Governor's office approval before final submission to the Office of Administrative Hearings.

Sincerely,

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