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January 9, 2013

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Subject: Annual Submission of Public Rulemaking Docket under Minn. Stat. § 14.116 (a)

Dear Senators and Representatives:

Minn. Stat. § 14.116 (a) requires each agency to submit to you by January 15 of each year its public rulemaking docket maintained under Minn. Stat. § 14.366, and the official rulemaking record required under Minn. Stat. § 14.365 for any rule adopted during the preceding calendar year.

The Commission encloses a copy of its public rulemaking docket, which is also available on the agency's website at: <http://www.puc.state.mn.us/puc/aboutus/rulemaking-project>. The Commission did not adopt any rules in 2012, and is therefore not enclosing any rule records.

Please let me know if I can provide further assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Burl W. Haar".

Burl W. Haar  
Executive Secretary

## Public Utilities Commission

### Public Rulemaking Docket

This section contains a list of pending rulemakings under consideration. The status of each rulemaking will be updated as we proceed through the rulemaking process. All documents, including any written requests for a public hearing, are available through the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission's electronic filing system, eDockets.

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| <b>Subject:</b>                            | <b>Amendments to Rules Governing Certificates of Need (Chapter 7849) and Site and Route Permits (Chapter 7850) for Large Electric Power Plants and High-Voltage Transmission Lines; and to Rules Governing Notice Plan Requirements for High-Voltage Transmission Lines (part 7829.2550).</b> |
| <b>Docket No.</b>                          | E,ET,IP-999/R-12-1246   |
| <b>Notices:</b>                            | <u>Request for Comments</u>   |
| <b>Comments:</b>                           | Comments are available in <u>E-dockets</u>  |
| <b>Comment Period:</b>                     | Comment Period ends January 24, 2013  |
| <b>Hearing Info:</b>                       | Not yet available   |
| <b>Status:</b>                             | Request for Comments published in the State Register on December 10, 2012   |
| <b>Timetable:</b>                          | Ongoing   |
| <b>Date Adopted:</b>                       | Not yet adopted   |
| <b>Rule Filed with Secretary of State:</b> | Not yet filed   |
| <b>Date Effective:</b>                     | Not yet determined  |

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| <b>Subject:</b>        | <b>Amendments to Rules Governing Proceeding, Practice, and Procedure (Chapter 7829, excluding 7829.2550 which is subject to a separate pending rulemaking).</b> |
| <b>Docket No.</b>      | U-999/R-13-24   |
| <b>Notices:</b>        | -   |
| <b>Comments:</b>       | Will be available in <u>E-dockets</u>   |
| <b>Comment Period:</b> | Not yet established   |

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| <b>Date Effective:</b>                     | Not yet determined                     |

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