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Senate E-12 Finance Committee Senator Carla Nelson, Chair Senator Charles Wiger, Ranking Minority Member

Senate E-12 Policy Committee Senator Eric Pratt, Chair Senator Susan Kent, Ranking Minority Member

House Education Innovation Policy Committee Representative Sondra Erickson, Chair Representative Carlos Mariani, Ranking Minority Member

House Education Finance Committee Representative Jennifer Loon, Chair Representative Jim Davnie, Ranking Minority Member

Subject: Annual Submission of Rulemaking Docket and Official Rulemaking Record, as Required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 14.116(a)

Dear Legislators:

In 2012 the Legislature amended Minnesota Statutes, section 14.116 to include the following requirement: "(a) By January 15 each year, each agency must submit its rulemaking docket maintained under section 14.366, and the official rulemaking record required under section 14.365 for any rule adopted during the preceding calendar year, to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative policy and budget committees with jurisdiction over the subject matter of the proposed rule." Accordingly, the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) is submitting its current rulemaking docket.

MDE completed one rulemaking project in 2017, the K-12 Academic Standards in Physical Education. The <u>official</u> <u>rulemaking records for this project are available</u> on the agency's website, on the rulemaking docket webpage.

The official records for this rulemaking also are available on the Revisor's Minnesota Rule Status database.

Please note you also have access to the key documents for any agency rulemaking on the <u>Revisor's Minnesota</u> <u>Rule Status database</u>. Among other options, you can search the State rulemaking documents by agency, keyword, rule type, dates, or statutory authority. You can access documents related to an adopted rule, or the documents already made public for a rule that is still being adopted. The final rules for this project are available on the Revisor's website, <u>K-12 Academic Standards in Physical</u> Education, Minnesota Rules, Chapter 3501.1400-1410; Revisor's ID 4496.

If you have any questions about these submissions, please contact me at 651-582-8583.

Yours very truly,

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