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**Subject: Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs (MDVA) Rulemaking Docket Report as Required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 14.116(a)**

Dear Legislators:

Per Minnesota Statute, Section 14.116(a), the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs is required to submit the agency's rulemaking docket and the official rulemaking record for any rule adopted during the preceding calendar year.

In the past year, the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs initiated the process of amending Minnesota Rules, Chapter 9055, Administration and Operation. It is anticipated that the rule will be completed in 2018. Additionally, the Department continues to make progress amending Minnesota Rules, Chapter 9050, Veterans Homes, which is anticipated to be completed in 2018.

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The rulemaking docket and documents associated with this revision are maintained on the MDVA public website at: <http://mn.gov/mdva/about/reports.jsp>.

Please note that you also have access to the key documents in any agency rulemaking at the Revisor's website, [https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/rule\\_search.php](https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/rule_search.php). The database is entitled, "Minnesota Rule Status – Basic Search." 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 promulgated.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Kristen Root, General Counsel, at 612-548-5956.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Larry Shellito". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L".

Larry Shellito, Commissioner  
Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs

Cc: Kristen Root, General Counsel