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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."

In the past year, the Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs continued processing an amendment to Minnesota Rules, Chapter 9055, Administration and Operation, Revisor ID number R-04430. It is anticipated that the rule will be completed in 2022. Additionally, the Department continues to make progress amending Minnesota Rules, Chapter 9050, Veterans Homes, Revisor ID number R-04384, which is anticipated to be completed in 2022.

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

Please note that you also have access to the key documents for any agency rulemaking at the Revisor's website on their "Minnesota Rule Status" webpage at https://www.revisor.mn.gov/rules/status/. You can search the state rulemaking documents by Revisor ID number, keyword, agency, dates, rule, or statutory authority. You can open documents related to an adopted rule, or the documents already made public for a rule that is still being adopted.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Dale Klitzke, Deputy General Counsel, at 612-548-5706.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Dale Klitzke