## MINNESOTA BOARD OF ANIMAL HEALTH

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Subject: Annual Report on Obsolete, Unnecessary, or Duplicative Rules as Required by Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5

Pursuant to Minnesota Statute §14.05, subdivision 5, please consider this correspondence as the report on obsolete, unnecessary, and duplicative rules of the Minnesota Board of Animal Health (BAH), for the year 2022. An electronic version of this report is also being submitted to the Legislative Coordinating Commission at <a href="https://www.cc.leg.mn">lcc@lcc.leg.mn</a>.

BAH has reviewed its rules and has not found rules that are or have become obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative. In its 2019 report, BAH reported that the legislature had amended a BAH statute which required BAH to amend its related rules. The legislature made additional changes to this BAH statute in 2020 which will also require rule changes.

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BAH initiated a rulemaking process on June 29, 2020, in order to amend and update these particular rules (Minnesota Rules chapters 1721.0370 to 1721.0420) and to incorporate the statutory changes. You can find information on BAH's rulemaking proceeding on our website (https://www.bah.state.mn.us/public-rule-making/). As part of this proceeding, BAH will continue its review to identify obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative rules to remove from its rules chapter.

The cost to prepare this report was \$30.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 651-201-6805 or at marion.garcia@state.mn.us.

Sincerely,

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