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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

RE: Amendment to the Annual Report on Obsolete, Unnecessary or Duplicative Rules as Required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 14.05, Subdivision 5

Minnesota Department of Human Services Amendment to the Annual Obsolete Rules Report January 25, 2023

Dear Governor Walz, Senators, Representatives, Legislative Coordinating Commission, and Revisor Inman:

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5, directs state agencies to report to you by December 1 of each year whether any of its rules are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative, and to provide an update on the status of such rules identified in the prior year.

With this letter, the Minnesota Department of Human Services is amending the obsolete rules report submitted on December 1, 2022, to add the following rule provisions that have been identified as obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative:

Minnesota Rules, part 9505.2175, subpart 7, items B-L. In addition to item A of this subpart, the Department has identified the remaining items as duplicative. The documentation requirements identified in items B-L for health care service records maintained by a personal care provider have been updated and included in Minnesota Statutes, section 256B.0659. Therefore, these items are duplicative and unnecessary. The Department intends to repeal the obsolete language using the rule repeal process identified in Minnesota Statutes, section 14.3895.

If you have any questions about this amendment to the 2022 obsolete rules report, please contact me by email (<a href="mailto:vanessa.vogl@state.mn.us">vanessa.vogl@state.mn.us</a>) or phone (651-431-3168).

Sincerely,

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