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Subject: Annual Report on Obsolete, Unnecessary, or Duplicative Rules, as Required by Minnesota Statutes, Section 14.05, Subdivision 5.

Dear Governor Walz, Senators, Representatives, Mr. Steller, Executive Director Yurich, and Revisor Inman:

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5, directs the Minnesota Board of Optometry to report to you each year whether any of its rules are "obsolete, unnecessary, [or] duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules." The Board completed a recent review of their statutes and rules. Currently, the Board has no rules to report which are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or rules.

If you have additional questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at <u>britt,heglund@state.mn.us</u> or by phone.

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