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

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

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

Direct Care and Treatment (DCT) separated from the Department of Human Services (DHS) to become a standalone agency on July 1, 2025. Per Minnesota Statutes, section 246C.06, subdivision 11, all rules adopted by DHS with respect to any function of DCT remain in effect after the establishment of DCT, and DCT may amend or repeal such rules. No rules identified by DHS as obsolete in 2024 are now under the authority of DCT.

In 2025, DCT identifies no rules that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. DCT continues to review rules now under its authority and expects to amend or repeal rules under its expedited authority at Minn. Stat., sec. 246C.06, subd. 11.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me by email at amy.chantry@state.mn.us or by phone at 651-431-6603

Sincerely,


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