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

Dear Ms. Timmons:

Minnesota Statutes § 14.05, subdivision 5, directs state agencies to report to you by December 1 of each year whether any of their rules are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules.

Every year after the conclusion of live racing, the Commission undertakes a review and revision to its rules as needed. In conducting a review this year, four separate rules were identified as being obsolete based on Minnesota Laws 2003, Chapter 28, Article 2. With the implementation of the Conceal and Carry Law, the Racing Commission is in the process of repealing portions of rules relating to firearms. The rules affected by this law are:

Minnesota Rule 7878.0100, subpart 8. Firearms Course
Minnesota Rule 7878.0150, subparts 1 and 1a. Standards of Conduct for Security Officers
Minnesota Rule 7897.0100, subpart 3. Possession of Firearms or Weapons
Minnesota Rule 7897.0130, subpart 4. Serious Violations.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me at 952-496-7950.

Regards,

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Executive Director

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