



Board of Podiatric Medicine

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

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5, states:

"By December 1 of each year, an agency must submit to the governor, the
Legislative Coordinating Commission, the policy and funding committees and

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divisions with jurisdiction over the agency, and the revisor of statutes, a list of any rules or portions of rules that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. The list must also include an explanation of why the rule or portion of the rule is obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. By December 1, the agency must either report a timetable for repeal of the rule or portion of the rule, or must develop a bill for submission to the appropriate policy committee to repeal the obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative rule. Such a bill must include proposed authorization to use the expedited procedures of section 14.389 to repeal or amend the obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative rule. A report submitted under this subdivision must be signed by the person in the agency who is responsible for identifying and initiating repeal of obsolete rules. The report also must identify the status of any rules identified in the prior year's report as obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative. If none of an agency's rules are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative, an agency's December 1 report must state that conclusion."

In the last legislative session, Minnesota Rules, parts 6900.0020, subparts 3, 3a, 9, and 19; and Minnesota Rules, parts 6900.0400 were repealed. At this time, we can identify no other rules pertaining to the Board of Podiatric Medicine that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative and that should be repealed.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Keith Hovland at the Board of Podiatric Medicine, 2829 University Avenue SE, Suite 430, Minneapolis, MN 55414, telephone number (612) 617-2200.

Sincerely,



Keith Hovland, Executive Director
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