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

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Dear Governor Pawlenty, Senators, Representatives and Revisor Timmons:

Minnesota Statutes, section 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.

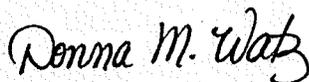
The Department previously reported in its Obsolete Rules Report that Minnesota Rules chapters 7635 and 7655 were obsolete, unnecessary and duplicative of other federal statutes or rules. The Department successfully accomplished the repeal of these rules via the legislative process in 2007 (See Laws of Minnesota 2007, chapter 136, article 3, section 7).

The Minnesota Department of Commerce has reviewed its rules and found none that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other federal statutes or rules.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact:

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