

**CHAPTER 4515**  
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**4515.0010 SCOPE.**

This chapter applies to the conflict of interest provisions of Minnesota Statutes, section 10A.07.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 10A.02*

**History:** *20 SR 2504*

**4515.0100 DEFINITIONS.**

Subpart 1. **Scope.** The definitions in this part apply to this chapter and Minnesota Statutes, section 10A.07. The definitions in chapter 4501 and in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 10A, apply to this chapter.

Subp. 2. [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

Subp. 3. [Repealed, 10 SR 1266]

Subp. 4. [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

Subp. 5. **Financial interest.** "Financial interest" means any ownership or control in an asset which has the potential to produce a monetary return.

Subp. 6. [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

Subp. 7. [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 10A.02*

**History:** *10 SR 1266; 11 SR 1611; 17 SR 1279; 20 SR 2504*

**4515.0200** [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**4515.0300** [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**4515.0400** [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**4515.0500 ABSTENTION.**

Subpart 1. **Nonlegislator.** A public official who is not a legislator or a member of the governing body of a metropolitan governmental unit and who has a potential conflict of interest and who does not have an immediate superior shall abstain from the matter, if possible, by assigning the matter to a subordinate for disposition or requesting the appointing authority to designate another to determine the matter. In such a case, the official shall not chair a meeting, participate in any vote, or offer any motion or discussion on the matter giving rise to the potential conflict of interest.

Subp. 2. [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 10A.02*

**History:** *17 SR 1279; 20 SR 2504*

**4515.0600** [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]

**4515.0700 CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS.**

If information contained in a previously filed potential conflict of interest notice materially changes or is found to be in error, the person who filed the notice shall file a

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written notice of the change or correction within ten days of the event prompting the change or the date upon which the person became aware of the inaccuracy. The change or correction shall identify the form and paragraph containing the information to be changed or corrected.

**Statutory Authority:** *MS s 10A.02*

**History:** *20 SR 2504*

**4515.0800** [Repealed, 20 SR 2504]