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**VIA EFILING ONLY**

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**Re: *In the Matter of the Adopted Exempt Permanent Rules Relating to Loss of Consciousness or Voluntary Control (R-4977)***  
**CAH 8-9018-41302; Revisor R-4977**

Dear Ian Lewenstein:

Enclosed herewith and served upon you is the **ORDER ON REVIEW OF RULES UNDER MINN. STAT. § 14.388 AND MINN. R. 1400.2400** in the above-entitled matter. The amendments to the rule parts are exempt from the rulemaking requirements of Minn. R. ch. 1400 (2025) pursuant to the good cause exemption in Minn. Stat. § 14.388, subd. 3 (2024).

With the approval of the adopted rules, the Court of Administrative Hearings has closed this file and is returning the rule record to the Minnesota Department of Public Safety so that the Department can maintain the official rulemaking record in this matter as required by Minn. Stat. § 14.365 (2024). Upon submission to the Court of Administrative Hearings the Department's signed order approving the rules, the Court of Administrative Hearings will file the rules with the Secretary of State. The Department's next step is to arrange for publication of the proposed amendments in the State Register as required by Minn. Stat. § 14.388, subd. 1 (2024).

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact William Moore at (651) 361-7893, [william.t.moore@state.mn.us](mailto:william.t.moore@state.mn.us) or via facsimile at (651) 539-0310.

Sincerely,

  
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Enclosure

cc: Legislative Coordinating Commission  
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STATE OF MINNESOTA  
COURT OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

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Consciousness or Voluntary Control (R-4977)

**ORDER ON REVIEW  
OF RULES UNDER  
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AND MINN. R. 1400.2400**

This matter came before Administrative Law Judge Eric L. Lipman upon the application of the Minnesota Department of Public Safety (Department) for a legal review under Minn. Stat. § 14.388 (2024).

On December 1, 2025, the Department filed documents with the Court of Administrative Hearings seeking review and approval of the above-entitled rules under Minn. Stat. § 14.388 and Minn. R. 1400.2400 (2025).

Based upon a review of the written submissions by the Department,

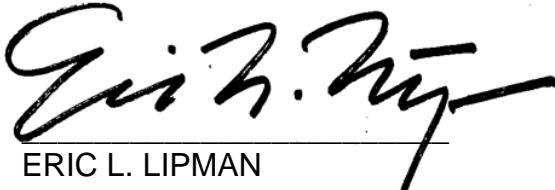
**IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED THAT:**

1. The rules were adopted in compliance with the procedural requirements of Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 14 (2024), and Minnesota Rules, Chapter 1400 (2025).
2. Pursuant to 2025 1<sup>st</sup> Spec. Sess. Minn. Laws Ch. 8, Art. 2, § 114, the Department has the statutory authority to adopt these proposed rules using the exempt rulemaking process.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

The adopted rules are **APPROVED**.

Dated: December 11, 2025



ERIC L. LIPMAN  
Administrative Law Judge