

# Minnesota Department of Human Rights

## Form for Annual Obsolete Rules Report

November 27, 2002

Governor Jesse Ventura

Senator Don Samuelson, Chair  
Legislative Coordinating Commission

Michelle Timmons  
Revisor of Statutes

Senator Jane B. Ranum  
Senate Crime Prevention and Judiciary  
Budget Division

Representative Steve Smith, Chair  
House Civil Law Division Policy Committee

Senator John Marty, Chair  
Senate Judiciary Committee

Representative Rich Stanek  
House Judiciary Finance Committee

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 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 The list must also include an explanation of why the rule or portion of the rule is obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules.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. 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.

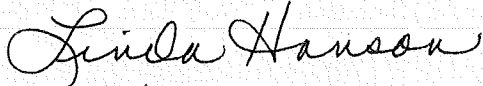
At this time, we can identify no Minnesota Department of Human Rights rules that are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative and that should be repealed.

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If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Linda Hanson at the Minnesota Department of Human Rights, Army Corps of Engineers Centre, Suite 700, 190 East Fifth Street, St. Paul, Minnesota, 55101.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Linda Hanson".

Linda Hanson  
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