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## MINNESOTA RACING COMMISSION

November 16, 2015

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

Dear Governor Dayton, Senators, Representatives, Director Hubinger and Revisor Timmons:

Minnesota Statutes, section 14:05, subdivision 5, directs the Racing Commission to report to you by December 1 of each year whether any of its rules are obsolete, unnecessary, or duplicative of other state or federal statutes or rules. The Racing Commission reports as follows:

During the past year the Commission has proposed and is in the process of promulgating a number of rulemaking changes. The Commission is always mindful of rules that are not needed for one reason or another. At this time, the Racing Commission concludes that there are no rules that have become obsolete, unnecessary or duplicative over the course of the last year.

Please let me know if I can provide further assistance.

Regards,

Thomas DiPasquale Executive Director

CC: Ralph Strangis- Chair, Minnesota Racing Commission