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Subject: Annual Report on Obsolete, Unnecessary or Duplicative Rules as Required by Minnesota

Statutes, Section 14.05, Subdivision 5

Dear Ms. Lincoln:

Minnesota Statutes, section 14.05, subdivision 5, directs the Office of Higher Education 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 Office of Higher Education has reviewed its rules and the following rules that have become obsolete, unnecessary or duplicative over the course of the last year that should be repealed. The rules are as follows:

Minnesota Administrative Rules 4830.9050 - 4830.9090

Our office will repeal these rules in 2017 attaching a repealer to our agency policy bill. The rules pertained to the Minnesota National Service Scholars Matching Grant. The program and appropriations for the grant had been previously repealed.

No rules were repealed in 2016.

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Sincerely,

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