STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Proposed Expedited
Permanent Rules of the Department of
Labor and Industry Governing Window
Cleaning Safety Features, *Minnesota*Rules, part 1305.3114

ORDER ON REVIEW OF RULES PURSUANT TO MINN. STAT. § 14.389 AND MINN. R. 1400.2410

This matter came on before Assistant Chief Administrative Law Judge Kristien R. E. Butler upon the application of the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry (Department) for a legal review pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 14.389 (2024).

On January 7, 2025, Department filed documents with the Office of Administrative Hearings seeking review and approval of the above-entitled rules pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 14.389 and Minn. R. 1400.2410 (2023).

Department submitted for review:

- 1. The rule, including the Revisor's approval;
- 2. The Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules (as mailed);
- 3. The Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules as published in the *State Register*;
- 4. A Copy of the Explanatory Memorandum linked within the Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Riles;
- 5. The Certificate of Accuracy of Department's E-mailing List and of E-mailing the Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules;
- 6. The Certificate of Accuracy of the Mailing List by U.S. Mail and the Certificate of Mailing the Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules;
- 7. The Certificate of Giving Additional Notice, a copy of the transmittal letter, and a copy of the Additional Notice Plan;
- 8. A copy of the received written comment on the proposed rules, including a copy of Department's Response;
 - 9. A copy of the adopted rules;

- 10. The proposed Order Adopting Rules; and
- 11. The incorporated citation(s) to Department's statutory exemption from the rulemaking procedures of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14, and any argument needed to support the claim of exemption.

Based upon a review of the submissions by Department,

IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED THAT:

- 1. Department has complied with the applicable procedural requirements of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14 (2024), and Minnesota Rules, chapter 1400 (2023).
- 2. The rules meet the required standards of Minn. R. 1400.2100, items A and C to H.
- 3. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 326B.106, subd. 4(m) (2024), Department has the statutory authority to adopt these proposed rules using the exempt rulemaking process.

Accordingly, the Judge hereby issues the following:

ORDER

The adopted rules are **APPROVED**.

Dated: January 17, 2025

KRISTIEN R. E. BUTLER

Assistant Chief Administrative Law Judge

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