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ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES NOTICE FILING

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EMAIL briantp@mdac.ms.gov	SUBMIT DATE 5/14/2021	Name or number of rule(s): Title 2, Part 1, Subpart 2, Chapter 04, Sections 101-110, Ethanol; Chapter 06, Section 100-102, Animal Testing; Chapter 11, Sections 100.01-100.05, Smoking Policy; Chapter 15, Sections 110-11.3, Agriculture and Forestry Museum Title 2, Part 1, Subpart 4 Bureau of Regulatory Services, Chapter 10, Sections 100-105, Organic Farming Regulations Title 2, Part 1, Subpart 5 Central Market Board, Chapter 02, Oral Proceedings on Rule Making; Chapter 03, Sections 100-113, Declaratory Opinions; Chapter 04, Sections 100-111, Public Records Title 2, Part 2, Subpart 1, Organization of the Fair Commission; Chapter 01, Sections 100-111, Public Records; Chapter 02, Sections 100-112, Oral Proceedings on Rule Making, Chapter 3, Sections 100-113. Declaratory Opinions			

Short explanation of rule/amendment/repeal and reason(s) for proposing rule/amendment/repeal: These deletions are necessary to reduce the number of duplicative and unnecessary regulations for the MS Department of Agriculture & Commerce and will promote more efficiency.

Specific legal authority authorizing the promulgation of rule: *Miss. Code Ann. Sections 69-1-1 et seq. 69-5-1 et seq., 69-7-101 et seq.*

List all rules repealed, amended, or suspended by the proposed rule: See above.

ORAL PROCEEDING:

- ☐ An oral proceeding is scheduled for this rule on Date: _____ Time: _____ Place: _____
- ☒ Presently, an oral proceeding is not scheduled on this rule.

If an oral proceeding is not scheduled, an oral proceeding must be held if a written request for an oral proceeding is submitted by a political subdivision, an agency or ten (10) or more persons. The written request should be submitted to the agency contact person at the above address within twenty (20) days after the filing of this notice of proposed rule adoption and should include the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the person(s) making the request; and, if you are an agent or attorney, the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the party or parties you represent. At any time within the twenty-five (25) day public comment period, written submissions including arguments, data, and views on the proposed rule/amendment/repeal may be submitted to the filing agency.

ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

- ☒ Economic impact statement not required for this rule. ☐ Concise summary of economic impact statement attached.

TEMPORARY RULES	PROPOSED ACTION ON RULES	FINAL ACTION ON RULES
_____ Original filing _____ Renewal of effectiveness To be in effect in _____ days Effective date: _____ Immediately upon filing _____ Other (specify): _____	Action proposed: _____ New rule(s) _____ Amendment to existing rule(s) _____ Repeal of existing rule(s) _____ Adoption by reference Proposed final effective date: _____ 30 days after filing _____ Other (specify): _____	Date Proposed Rule Filed: <u>4/12/2021</u> Action taken: ☒ Adopted with no changes in text _____ Adopted with changes _____ Adopted by reference _____ Withdrawn _____ Repeal adopted as proposed Effective date: ☒ 30 days after filing _____ Other (specify): _____

Printed name and Title of person authorized to file rules: Brian Perry, Chief of Staff

Signature of person authorized to file rules: [Signature]

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The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.