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The Minnesota Department of Health regulates operation, maintenance, design, installation, and construction of public pools under Minnesota Statutes, § 144.1222 and Minnesota Rules, chapter 4717. In 2008, a provision was enacted to exempt swimming ponds (of which there are approximately 12 in the state) from most of these regulatory requirements, but the exemption was set to expire June 30, 2011. This act removes the expiration date for the swimming pond exemption.