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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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In the matter of the adoption of New Rules I through VI pertaining to tracking sexual assault evidence kits through a statewide Sexual Assault Kit Tracking System NOTICE OF ADOPTION

TO: All Concerned Persons

1. On June 25, 2021, the Department of Justice published MAR Notice No. 23-12-261 pertaining to the public hearing on the proposed adoption of the above-stated rules at page 727 of the 2021 Montana Administrative Register, Issue Number 12.

2. The department has adopted the above-stated rules as proposed: New Rule I (23.12.901), New Rule II (23.12.902), New Rule III (23.12.903), New Rule IV (23.12.904), New Rule V (23.12.905), and New Rule VI (23.12.906).

3. No comments or testimony were received.

<u>/s/ Hannah E. Tokerud</u> Hannah E. Tokerud Rule Reviewer <u>/s/ Kris Hansen</u> Kris Hansen Administrator Department of Justice

Certified to the Secretary of State August 17, 2021.