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Commissioner Myron Frans
Data Practices Responsible Authority
Minnesota Department of Revenue
600 North Robert Street
St. Paul, MN 55146-4400

Dear Responsible Authority,

I am requesting access to government data under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13. Through this request, I am seeking to inspect and/or copy public data created, produced, received, transmitted, and/or maintained by your office between September 1, 2013, and September 6, 2014, relating to:

1. Tax abatements related to the 2018 Super Bowl event, including cost estimates related to those abatements.

If responsive data are found, I would first like the opportunity to inspect such data prior to identifying specific subsets of data to copy.

Please consider this letter a formal request for the indefinite retention of the requested data, pending the resolution of its status.

As required by section 13.03, subd. 3(f) of the Minnesota Statutes, I am requesting that in the event that any portion of my request is not granted, you certify in writing that the request has been denied, and cite the specific statutory section, temporary classification, or other provision of law upon which the denial was based.

This request is made as part of news gathering, and is not for commercial use.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or clarifications regarding the scope of this request. I can be reached at 651-556-1381, or info@publicrecordmedia.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt Ehling", is written over a horizontal line.

Matt Ehling
President, Public Record Media