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Legal Department  
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RE: Minnesota Government Data Practices Act request

Dear members of the UCare legal department,

I am submitting a request under Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13 to inspect and copy public, government data maintained by your organization.

**Data sought**

Through my request, I am seeking access to the following data created, stored, used, and/or maintained by UCare between the dates of July 1, 2015 and September 3, 2015:

1. Any and all data that would document the impact of UCare's loss of contracted, public program work on UCare's existing public program enrollees.

Please construe "contracted, public program work" as used in Item 1, above to describe work performed by UCare for the Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) in relation to the administration of public health care programs, including, but not limited to, the "Minnesota Medical Assistance Program," certain Medicare services, and certain prepaid Medicaid services.

**Data sought subject to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13**

The data that I am seeking is maintained by your organization as part of the contracted, government functions it performs for DHS in relation to the administration of public health care programs. The performance of such functions is authorized by DHS contract numbers 83213, 83220, and 83228.

Due to the existence of contracts between your organization and DHS that authorize the performance of government functions, data relevant to those functions is government data subject to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13. Minn. Stat. 13.05, subd.11 states that,

provision of law upon which the denial is based, as required by Minn. Stat. 13.03 subd. 3(f).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me with any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

/s/Matt Ehling  
President  
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