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Superintendent Drew Evans
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Dear Superintendent Evans:

Pursuant to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minn Stat. Chapter 13, We hereby request access to and a copy of the complete autopsy report, including toxicology findings, for the deceased individual identified as the perpetrator in the Annunciation Church shooting that took place in Minneapolis on August 27, 2025.

As you are aware, autopsy reports of deceased individuals are public government data under Minn. Stat. § 13.83, subd. 2, and toxicology results contained within those reports are likewise subject to disclosure as part of the public record. If any portion of the requested data is deemed non-public, we request that you segregate and release all accessible portions and provide written statutory justification for any withholding as required by Minn. Stat. § 13.03, subd. 3(f).

We are also writing to respectfully request that the Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension conduct an expanded toxicology analysis on the individual mentioned above. Given the complexity and sensitivity of this investigation, it is essential for the report to include a thorough screen for a wide array of substances.

Specifically, we ask that your laboratory test for a broad range of antidepressants, antipsychotics, benzodiazepines, mood stabilizers, stimulants, cannabinoids (including synthetic varieties), and psychoactive substances.

In addition, we request that pharmaceuticals associated with gender transition therapies, such as estradiol, estrogen, antiandrogens (e.g., spironolactone), and testosterone, be included in the analysis.

Such comprehensive toxicological testing will help provide clarity on any pharmaceuticals or substances that may have been present and inform the investigative conclusions. Knowing the complete picture of what substances, legal and illegal, may have played a role in the perpetrator's mental state would go a long way to understanding the factors that influenced the perpetrator's motivations in committing this horrific act. It would also inform the public debate on the use of these drugs, as we and other legislators struggle to understand the effects of these drugs on our society.

If additional procedural steps are required by your office, kindly advise so that we may promptly comply.

We anticipate your reply to the data request within the required statutory timeframe.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,



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State Senator District 20



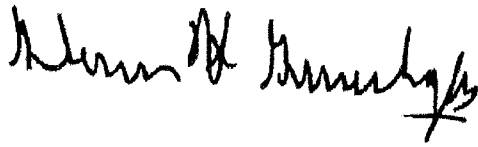
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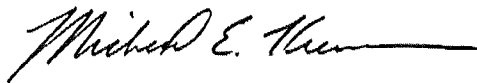
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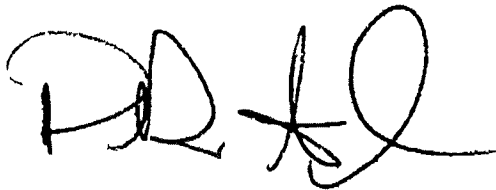
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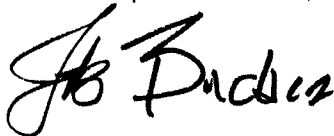
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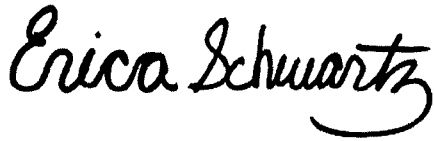
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