

Inventory of Materials for Ethics Committee Hearing 3/20/00
Rep. Arlon Lindner Matter

1. Agenda
2. Complaint and accompanying materials 2/28/00
3. Addendum to complaint 3/15/00
4. House Research flow chart of House Ethics complaint process
5. Written correspondence between involved parties and the Ethics Committee
6. Permanent Rules of the House, 6.10, the Ethics Committee
7. Rules of Procedure of the House Ethics Committee
8. Ethics Committee Code of Conduct
9. Permanent Rules of the House, 2.31, offensive words in debate
10. Minnesota Constitution, speech and debate clause
11. House Research case law review of constitutional "speech and debate" clause 3/17/00
12. House Research memo regarding Attorney General opinion on Legislative ethics issues 3/16/00
13. History of House Ethics Committee Complaint Procedures
14. Mason's Manual Chapter 13
15. Points of Order, 1973-now, Mason's, Personalities not Permitted in Debate
16. Protest and Dissents published in the House Journal 1971 through 2000
Four regarding remarks in debate:
 1. 2/15/95
 2. 2/29/96
 3. 3/13/98
 4. 2/23/00
12. NCSL listing of legislative chamber rules regarding member conduct/language
13. NCSL informal poll of legislative clerks and secretaries regarding offensive words in

debate in other states and remedies taken at the request of the Minnesota House Ethics Committee

14. NCSL "Inside the Legislative Process" - - Disciplinary Actions
15. Newspaper articles in local press submitted by complainants 3/16/00
16. Dictionary definitions submitted by complainants 3/16/00
17. Journal pages - previous Minnesota ethics cases submitted by complainants 3/16/00
18. Special task force to review House ethics submitted by complainants 3/16/00
19. Ethics case in other states/new stories submitted by complainants 3/16/00
20. News stories and web searches for phrases "irreligious left" and "irreligious" submitted by complainants 3/16/00
21. Tape logs of debates on opening prayer submitted by complainants 3/16/00
22. Transcript of 2/23/00 debate submitted by complainants 3/16/00
23. Articles on Anti-Semitism and Jewish history in Minnesota submitted by complainants 3/16/00