## Tim Pawlenty Majority Leader

District 38B Dakota County



## Minnesota House of Representatives

COMMITTEES: CHAIR, RULES AND LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION

March 6, 2000

Speaker Steve Sviggum State Office Building 100 Constitution Ave. St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Speaker Sviggum:

By this letter, and pursuant to Permanent Rules of the House 6.10, we are formally requesting the House Committee on Ethics convene for the purpose of investigating the following conduct of Representative Jim Rostberg.

- 1.) On Thursday, March 2, 2000, Rep. Rostberg was arrested in the State Capitol by Anoka County Sheriff deputies for suspicion of criminal sexual conduct.
- 2.) On Friday, March 3, 2000, Rep. Rostberg was charged with one count of felony criminal sexual conduct in the first degree and two counts of felony criminal sexual conduct in the second degree.

We swear the statements here to be true, to the best of our knowledge, so help us God.

We submit as evidence to support this complaint, the criminal Complaint filed in Isanti County on March 3, 2000. References to information which would identify the alleged victim have been blacked out. We will forward an unredacted version to you upon request. Also, a signed copy of the Complaint will be forwarded as soon as it becomes available.

Sincerely,

Representative Tim Pawlenty

Representative Matt Entenza

CC: Representative Jim Rostberg