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MINNESOTA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MEMBERS, OFFICERS, AND EMPLOYEES

A State Representative and an officer or employee of the House of Representatives shall: Respect the principles of representative democracy, by exemplifying good citizenship and High personal integrity, and by observing the letter and spirit of laws, and House Rules.

Promote the health of democracy – by fostering openness in government, full public understanding of government actions, and public participation in governmental processes.

Treat everyone with respect, fairness, and courtesy.

Exercise sound judgment.

Be respectful of the House of Representatives as a fundamental institution of civil government.

Use the power and facilities of the House of Representatives only to advance the common good.

Respect and maintain confidential information obtained as a public official or an officer or employee.