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RE: Senate Environment Supplemental Finance Bill

Members of the Senate Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee,

Medical Alley represents a global network of more than 800 leading health technology and care companies including representation from all corners of the state of Minnesota. Our mission is to activate and amplify healthcare transformation.

Recognized worldwide as a leader in healthcare innovation, Minnesota sets a standard for excellence – impacting local communities and influencing global health outcomes and advancements. With access, affordability, and quality as top priorities, Medical Alley and our partners are committed to developing solutions which drive meaningful change and save lives.

Since our founding in 1984, Medical Alley has been committed to advancing innovation while protecting the environment. Alongside our partners, we embrace the responsibility of minimizing environmental impacts to ensure a healthy and sustainable future for all Minnesotans.

As we balance environmental stewardship with protecting access to healthcare, Medical Alley appreciates Senator Morrison's work with us as the Packaging Waste and Cost Reduction Act has moved through the Senate committee process, including adopting the [A14 Amendment](#) on March 14 in the Senate State and Local Government and Veterans Committee.

Based on this language, as provided on lines 72.10 through 72.28 of the [A-7 Amendment](#), our major concerns are addressed. Medical Alley is neutral on the Packaging Waste and Cost Reduction Act under Article 5 of A-7 Amendment, which will be incorporated into Senate File 3887.

We are grateful for Senator Morrison's collaborative approach and open dialogue with Medical Alley to address our concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Peter Glessing'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Peter Glessing
Senior Director of Policy and Advocacy
Medical Alley