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Concerns Regarding SF 3152 and Its Impact on the Charitable Gambling Industry

Dear Senators,

I am writing to share serious concerns regarding SF 3152 and the impact that it could have on Minnesota's charitable gambling organizations.

Our members work hard to raise funds that support vital community programs. Yet once again, there's a proposal to divert electronic pull tab tax revenues – this time for ongoing sports facility obligations. This is a continuation of a troubling trend: using charitable gambling funds to cover costs far removed from their intended purpose.

Minnesota already imposes some of the highest charitable gambling taxes in the country. Instead of being reinvested in local causes, these dollars are increasingly directed to state obligations that should be funded by general fund revenues. This bill would make it even more difficult to advocate for long overdue tax reform and relief for charities.

The stadium's ongoing costs are a state responsibility – not something that should fall on the backs of non-profits. SF 3152 risks further undermining the vital work that MN charities are doing across our great state.

We urge you to reconsider this proposal and to prioritize tax relief and reform for charitable gambling. Let's give nonprofits the chance to grow and serve—not treat them as a permanent source for unrelated needs.

Thank you for your attention to this matter and for your continued service to the people of Minnesota.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rachel Jenner".

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