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Honorable Jane Ranum, Chair
Senate Public Safety Budget Division
120 State Capitol
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

Honorable Steve Smith, Chair
House Judiciary Policy & Finance Committee
543 State Office Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

Dear Senator Ranum and Representative Smith:

Pursuant to M.S. 242.193, Subd. 2, by March 15 of each year the Department of Corrections is to summarize the reports submitted by counties receiving juvenile treatment grants and report on the purposes for which the grants were used.

In the 2003 legislative session, this funding was eliminated for Fiscal Year 04 as part of the deficit reduction. Therefore, the department again recommends that the requirement for this report be eliminated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joan Fabian".

Joan Fabian
Commissioner

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Cc: Honorable Mary Murphy, House Committee Ranking Minority Member
Honorable Thomas Neville, Senate Committee Ranking Minority Member
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