

COMMUNICATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS RECEIVED  
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## PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were received:

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
SAINT PAUL 55155

April 9, 1992

The Honorable Dee Long  
Speaker of the House of Representatives  
The State of Minnesota

Dear Speaker Long:

I have vetoed and I am returning Chapter 434, House File No. 2388/Senate File No. 2170, a bill relating to civil government.

Chapter 434 provides that a public officer may apply for a loan or grant from a housing and redevelopment authority or other jurisdiction administering loans or grants, and not be guilty of having a prohibited financial interest in contract.

I am concerned that permitting this exception will establish an intimidating environment for those staff persons charged with administering loans and grants in a fair, nondiscriminatory manner. In addition, where exceptions of this nature are to be permitted, the law should require that there be mandatory disclosure on the public record that the public officer intends to make use of an exception.

Sincerely,

ARNE H. CARLSON  
Governor

The preceding veto message was received from the Governor on Thursday, April 9, 1992. No action was taken by the House.