STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF RAMSEY

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

vs.

The Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, a Minnesota corporation,

Defendant.

TO: The Court, by the Honorable Teresa R. Warner; and

Defendant above named, by its attorney, Joseph T. Dixon III, Fredrikson & Byron, P.A., 200 South Sixth Street, Suite 4000, Minneapolis, MN 55401-1425.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, having brought this criminal action with a companion civil

proceeding (District Court File No. 62-JV-15-1674) in tandem pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 260C.335,

subd. 4, and having achieved the purpose of the underlying law, the Prosecuting Authority hereby

dismisses the above-captioned matter in the best interests of justice.

JOHN J. CHOI RAMSEY COUNTY ATTORNEY

Dated: July 20, 2016

By: /s/ Thomas E. Ring

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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

D. C. File No.: 62-CR-15-4175 C. A. File No.: 2139124

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