

STATE OF MINNESOTA

DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF RAMSEY

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Citizens for Rule of Law, Robert J. Hanten,  
Tom Janas, Victor Niska and Ronald R.  
Johnson

Court File No. \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiffs,

**COMPLAINT**

vs.

Senate Committee on Rules and  
Administration; House Committee on Rules  
and Legislative Administration; Senate Fiscal  
Services; House Budgeting and Accounting;  
Compensation Council and State of  
Minnesota,

Defendants.

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Citizens for Rule of Law, Robert J. Hanten, Tom Janos, Victor Niska and  
Ronald R. Johnson (collectively, "Plaintiffs") hereby bring this Complaint against  
Senate Committee on Rules and Administration; House Committee on Rules and  
Legislative Administration; Senate Fiscal Services; House Budgeting and Accounting;  
Compensation Council and State of Minnesota (collectively, "Defendants")

**INTRODUCTION**

1. The Plaintiffs oppose the members of the Minnesota Senate and  
House violating provisions of the Minnesota State Constitution and State Statutes to  
unlawfully compensate themselves through per diem payments and increases and  
unlawfully making those increases immediately effective. Each of the legislative  
defendants have participated, directly or indirectly, in a scheme to create illusory

lawful acts by means that result in the unlawful disbursements of public money causing harm to taxpayers and citizens of the State of Minnesota. This legal action for declaratory judgment is to rectify those described unlawful acts of disbursements of public moneys.

## **PARTIES**

1. The lead Plaintiff is an association called Citizens for Rule of Law. Citizens for Rule of Law is an association of individual citizens and taxpayers bonded together for the advancement of political and philosophical beliefs that all people including elected officials, are obligated to follow the provisions of the law and Minnesota's Constitution, especially in positions of power that affect the lives of the general populace. The association also advocates the need for action in the absence of the rule of law through available legal and political avenues such as litigation.

2. The individual plaintiffs and others are members of Citizens for Rule of Law. Robert J. Hanten resides in Orono, Minnesota. Thomas Janos resides in Delano, Minnesota. Victor Niska resides in Waverly, Minnesota. Ronald R. Johnson resides in Shorewood, Minnesota.

3. Defendant Senate Committee on Rules and Administration is a state legislative committee authorized by Minn. Stat. Section 3.101 to establish the manner and amount permitted for reimbursement of Senators' actual living expenses.

4. Defendant House Committee on Rules and Administration is a state legislative committee authorized by Minn. Stat. Section 3.101 to establish the manner and amount permitted for reimbursement of Representatives' actual living expenses.

5. Defendant Senate Fiscal Services, an agency of the State Senate, pays the “per diem” living expenses to Senators – currently \$96 per day.

6. House Budgeting and Accounting, an agency of the State House, pays the “per diem” living expenses to Representatives – currently \$77 per day.

7. The Compensation Council, under Minn. Stat. Section 15A.082, recommends state legislative salaries (as well as those of other public officials) to the state legislature.

8. The State of Minnesota is an interested party as it is its Constitution that is being violated and it would be recipient of restitution payments from the individual state legislators.

9. Although not parties to this lawsuit, the Citizens for Rule of Law have attached state legislative documents to this Complaint indicating per diem payments made to each Senator and Representative as Exhibit A. Based on this information, virtually all of the 201 state legislators are involved in these constitutional and statutory violations

## **JURISDICTION**

10. Jurisdiction of this Court is conferred under Minn. Const. art. VI, Sec. 3 and the Uniform Declaratory Judgments Act, Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq.

11. Plaintiffs as taxpaying citizens and voters have standing to maintain an action that restrains the “unlawful disbursements of public money ... [or] illegal action on the part of public officials.” *See, e.g. McKee v. Likins*, 261 N.W.2d 566, 571 (Minn.

1977). The Defendants are unlawfully disbursing public money to the state legislators and/or are involved in illegal action

**UNIFORM DECLARATORY JUDGMENT ACTION  
UNDER MINN. STAT. §§ 555.01 ET SEQ.**

12. Minnesota State Statute provides for an interested person affected by a statute to have questions of its validity declared by a court of competent jurisdiction.

13. Minnesota Statute § 555.02 states:

Any person interested under a deed, will, written contract, or other writings constituting a contract, or whose rights, status, or other legal relations are affected by a statute, municipal ordinance, contract, or franchise may have determined any question of construction or validity arising under the instrument, statute, ordinance, contract, or franchise and obtain a declaration of rights, status, or other legal relations thereunder.

14. The Plaintiffs are interested taxpayers and persons who seek a declaration of the constitutionality and/or legality of the legislative actions to award per diem payments as compensation, fail to identify the per diem payments as compensation, allow those increases to take immediate affect in contravention of the Minnesota Constitution and statutes, and thus allow unlawful disbursements of public money to public officials.

15. An actual controversy exists between Plaintiffs and the Defendants. The Plaintiffs represent citizens and are taxpayers who provide moneys to the State of Minnesota to engage in activities to support State agencies, employees, programs, capital expenditures, and other responsibilities expected of the State government. But, when disbursements of public money is allowed without regard to Minnesota's constitutional provisions or Minnesota statutes, and is continuing in nature, a

controversy exists and Minnesota's Declaratory Judgment Act provides for a remedy to rectify the alleged unlawfulness of the actors. Further the state legislative leaders did not respond to Robert J. Hanten's cease and desist letter dated January 28, 2008 which is attached as Exhibit B.

16. The Plaintiffs seek this Court to render a declaratory judgment under the provisions of Minn Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq. and declare that the Defendants' actions as alleged are violative of the Minnesota Constitution and applicable Minnesota statutes

## COUNT I

### CONSTITUTIONAL VIOLATION

17. Paragraphs 1 through 16 are incorporated herein by reference.

18. The constitutional text being violated by the Senate and House is Article IV, section 9:

**Compensation.** The compensation of senators and representatives shall be prescribed by law. No increase of compensation shall take effect during the period for which the members of the existing house of representatives may have been elected.

19. The Senate violated the Minnesota Constitution on February 11, 2007 by making immediately effective an increase in miscellaneous "living expense" compensation for Senators:

On February 21, 2007, on a 59-7 vote, the Senate approved an immediate increase for "living expense" compensation from \$66 to \$96 per day. The Senate was ratifying an earlier decision by the Senate Rules and Administration Committee to increase the rate to \$96 per day. Members were at \$56 per day before an increase in 2005.

20. The House violated the Minnesota Constitution on January 10, 2007 by making immediately effective an increase in “living expense” compensation for Representatives:

On January 10, 2007, on a 22-4 vote, the House Rules and Legislative Administration Committee approved an immediate increase for “living expense” compensation from \$66 to \$77 per day. Members were at \$56 per day before an increase in 2005.

21. By these actions, the Defendants have unlawfully disbursed public money to the state legislators and/or are involved in illegal action.

22. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment under Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq., that Defendants’ actions have unlawfully disbursed public money to the state legislators and/or are involved in illegal action.

23. Plaintiffs seek injunctive relief enjoining Defendants’ actions that unlawfully disburse public money to the state legislators and/or are illegal.

## COUNT II

### STATUTORY VIOLATION

24. Paragraphs 1 through 23 are incorporated herein by reference.

25. The statutory text being violated by the Senate and House is Minn. Stat. Section 3.101:

#### **3.101. Living expenses**

A member of the legislature in addition to the compensation and mileage otherwise provided by law shall be reimbursed for living and other expenses incurred in the performance of duties or engaging in official business during a regular or special session and when the legislature is not in session in the manner and amount prescribed by

the senate Committee on Rules and Administration for senators and by the house Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration for house members

26 The Senate violates Minn. Stat. Section 3.101 by paying daily “living expense” compensation beyond reimbursement of actual living expenses including housing allowance and mileage. The Senate pays \$96 per day for “living expense” compensation without requiring Senators to vouch for actual expenses to justify the \$96 per day.

27. The House violates Minn. Stat. Section 3.101 by paying daily “living expense” compensation beyond reimbursement of actual living expenses including housing allowance and mileage. The House pays \$77 per day for “living expense” compensation without requiring Representatives to vouch for actual expenses to justify the \$77 per day.

28 By these actions, the Defendants have unlawfully disbursed public money to the state legislators and/or are involved in illegal action

29. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment under Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq., that Defendants’ actions have unlawfully disbursed public money to the state legislators and/or are involved in illegal action.

30. Plaintiffs seek injunctive relief enjoining Defendants’ actions that unlawfully disburse public money to the state legislators and/or are illegal

### COUNT III

#### UNLAWFUL DISBURSEMENT OF MONEY IN VIOLATION OF ART. XI, SEC. 1 OF THE MINNESOTA CONSTITUTION

31. Paragraphs 1 through 30 are incorporated herein by reference

32. Minnesota Constitution Article XI, Sec. 1 states:

Money paid from the state treasury. No money shall be paid out of the treasury of this state except in pursuance of an appropriation of law.

33. A legislator's compensation is a payment of money from the state treasury to that elected official.

34. Per diem payment is compensation.

35. A per diem payment is not an "expense" reimbursement.

36. Legislators who receive per diem payments do not submit invoices or other statements declaring a need for specific reimbursements of daily expenses relating to those per diem payments.

37. Upon information and belief, the legislative defendants paying and/or the legislators receiving per diem payments declare to federal and state revenue authorities that the per diem payment is "income" for federal and state income tax purposes.

38. Article IV, Section 9 of the Minnesota Constitution states "compensation of senators and representatives shall be prescribed by law."

39. Under Article XI, the disbursements of state funds cannot occur without an appropriation by law enacted by the state legislature and signed by the Governor or otherwise enacted under Article IV governing veto overrides.

40. Article IV, Section 9 also states that “no increase of compensation shall take effect during the period for which the members of the existing house of representatives may have been elected.”

41. When state funds are disbursed within the same year authorized and are increases of compensation, it is a violation of Article XI, section 1 that prohibits moneys to be disbursed without an appropriation by law and if disbursed during the same legislative session as enacted is a violation of the Constitution.

42. By these actions, the Defendants are involved in illegal action.

43. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment under Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq., that Defendants’ actions are a violation of Article XI, Section 1 of the Minnesota State Constitution.

44. Plaintiffs seek injunctive relief enjoining Defendants’ actions that are illegal.

#### COUNT IV

#### UNLAWFUL DISBURSEMENT OF MONEY IN VIOLATION OF MINN. STAT. §§ 16.57 AND 16A.138

45. Paragraphs 1 through 44 are incorporated herein by reference.

46. Minnesota State Statute 16A.57 states:

Unless otherwise expressly provided by law, state money may not be spent or applied without an appropriation, an allotment, and issuance of a warrant or electronic fund transfer.

47. Minnesota State Statute 16A.138 states:

When there has been an appropriation for any purpose it shall be unlawful for any state board or official to incur indebtedness on behalf of the board, the official, or the state in excess of the appropriation

made for such purpose. It is hereby made unlawful for any state board or official to incur any indebtedness in behalf of the board, the official, or the state of any nature until after an appropriation therefor has been made by the legislature. Any official violating these provisions shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and the governor is hereby authorized and empowered to remove any such official from office

48. Minn. Stat. §§ 16A.57 and 16A.138 further affect the declarations of the Minnesota State Constitution, specifically Article XI, section 1.

49. A legislator's compensation is a payment of money from the state treasury to that elected official.

50. Per diem payment is compensation.

51. A per diem payment is not an "expense" reimbursement.

52. Legislators who receive per diem payments do not submit invoices or other statements declaring a need for specific reimbursements of daily expenses relating to those per diem payments.

53. Upon information and belief, the legislative defendants paying and/or the legislators receiving per diem payments declare to federal and state revenue authorities that the per diem payment is "income" for federal and state income tax purposes

54. Article IV, Section 9 of the Minnesota Constitution states "compensation of senators and representatives shall be prescribed by law."

55. Under Article XI, the disbursements of state funds cannot occur without an appropriation by law enacted by the state legislature and signed by the Governor or otherwise enacted under Article IV governing veto overrides.

56. Article IV, Section 9 also states that “no increase of compensation shall take effect during the period for which the members of the existing house of representatives may have been elected ”

57. When state funds are disbursed within the same year authorized and are increases of compensation, it is a violation of Minnesota Statutes §§ 16A.57 and 16A.138. These statutes specifically relate to Article XI, section 1 that prohibits moneys to be disbursed without an appropriation by law. If disbursed during the same legislative session as enacted, it is an unlawful act.

58. By these actions, the Defendants are involved in illegal action.

59. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment under Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq., that Defendants’ actions are a violation of Minnesota Statutes §§ 16A.57 and 16A.138

60. Plaintiffs seek injunctive relief enjoining Defendants’ actions that are illegal.

## **COUNT V**

### **COMPENSATION COUNCIL AND MINN. STAT. SECTION 15A.082**

61. Paragraphs 1 through 60 are incorporated herein by reference

62. Minn. Stat. Section 15A.082 requires the Compensation Council to recommend state legislative salaries to the state legislature:

By May 1 in each odd-numbered year, the Compensation Council shall submit to the speaker of the house of representatives and the president of the senate salary recommendations for constitutional officers, legislators, justices of the Supreme Court, and judges of the Court of Appeals and district court.

63. In 2005 and 2007, the Compensation Council made salary recommendations upon information and belief, without reference to the per-day salary supplement provided by the Senate and House.

64. Currently, the Senate pays \$96 per day to Senators and the House pays \$77 per day to Representatives.

65. This per day salary supplement should be included as “salary” for the purposes of the Compensation Committee’s recommendations to the Senate and House.

66. By these actions, the Defendants are involved in illegal action.

67. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment under Minn. Stat. §§ 555.01, et seq., that Defendants’ actions are a violation of Minn. Stat. Section 15A.082.

68. Plaintiffs seek injunctive relief enjoining Defendants’ actions that are illegal.

## **COUNT VI**

### **INJUNCTION AGAINST UNLAWFUL ACTS**

69. Paragraphs 1 through 68 are incorporated herein by reference.

70. As detailed above, Plaintiffs have made claims based on constitutional and statutory violations which could lead to civil judgments against state legislators based on receiving payments unauthorized by law.

71. Plaintiffs have asserted unlawful acts of the defendants requiring immediate injunctive relief.

72. Plaintiffs' dispute is not a disagreement with policy or the exercise of discretion by those responsible for executing the law.

73. Plaintiffs' dispute is to restrain the unlawful use of public funds and have a real and definitive interest in preventing an illegal expenditure of tax money including acts that will likely increase their tax burden.

74. If plaintiffs prevail, to effect the prevention of the illegality of the defendants' actions, an adequate remedy of law must exist.

75. Yet, each plaintiff and members of Citizens Rule of Law, as taxpayers have been deprived of a specific right to act for or against those acting unlawfully.

76. The people have a right to vote on the legislators who voted for a compensation increase prior to the compensation increase taking effect under Minnesota Constitution, Article IV, Section 9:

**Compensation.** The compensation of senators and representatives shall be prescribed by law. **No increase of compensation shall take effect during the period for which the members of the existing house of representatives may have been elected.**

(Emphasis added) *See State v. Scott*, 105 Minn 513, 117 N.W. 1044 (1908). The clear intent of Article IV, Section 9 is to establish the people's right to vote on the legislators who voted for a compensation increase prior to the compensation increase taking effect.

77. If the Plaintiffs prevail on their claims, those state legislators who received any money without authorization by law *prior to* an election by the people electing into office those legislators who previously voted for and received unlawful increase of compensation payments in the same year of the legislative session, each

legislator has unilaterally violated the constitutional right of every Minnesota citizen eligible to vote.

78. Under these circumstances, as a matter of affirming the fundamental constitutional rights of the people, only those legislators who have paid 100% restitution to the State of Minnesota — to the people — should stand for re-election in 2008 (Representatives) or 2010 (Senators)

79. Legislators who have not paid 100% restitution may not stand for re-election because this would deprive the people of their right to vote on the legislators who voted for a compensation increase prior to the increase taking effect.

80. The Senate Fiscal Services and House Budgeting and Accounting can assist the Court in assuring the proper accounting and restitution is completed prior to any legislator running for re-election in 2008 (Representatives) or 2010 (Senators)

81. Under the circumstances, civil court judgments against individual state legislators do not provide an adequate remedy at law.

82. No other adequate remedy at law exists.

83. On this basis, the Court should require 100% reimbursement from those Senators or Representatives found to have received unlawful compensation payments and enjoin those Senators or Representatives from running for re-election in 2008 as to Representatives or 2010 as to Senators.

#### **PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

**Wherefore,** Plaintiffs pray for judgment from this Court as follows:

1. For a declaratory judgment that Plaintiffs have standing as taxpayers to bring their claims against Defendants;
2. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendants that their actions have violated Minnesota's Constitution, Article IV, Section 9;
3. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendants that their actions have violated Minnesota Statute Section 3 101;
4. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendants that their actions have violated Minnesota Statute Section 15A.082;
5. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendants for violating Article XI, Section 1 of the Minnesota Constitution;
6. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendant for violating Minnesota Statute § 16A.57;
7. For a declaratory judgment against the Defendants for violating Minnesota Statute § 16A.138;
8. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from further violation of Minnesota's Constitution, Article IV, Section 9;
9. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from further violation of Minnesota Statute Section 3 101;
10. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from further violation of Minnesota Statute Section 15A.082;
11. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from violating the Minnesota Constitution, particularly Article XI, Section 1;

12. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from violating Minnesota Statute § 16A 57;

13. Permanently enjoining the Defendants from violating Minnesota Statute § 16A 138;

14. For injunctive relief requiring each legislator who has been over-compensated pay 100% restitution to the State of Minnesota before the 2008 elections for Representatives or 2010 elections for Senators or the legislator is enjoined from running for re-election in 2008 as to Representatives or 2010 as to Senators;

15. For all litigation costs, costs, expenses, and expert witness fees allowed by law; and

16. For such other and further relief as this Court deems just and equitable.

Dated: February 8, 2008

**MOHRMAN & KAARDAL, P.A.**



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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The undersigned, hereby acknowledges that pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 549.21(1), costs, disbursements, and reasonable attorney fees and witness fees may be awarded to the opposing party or parties in this litigation if the Court should find that the undersigned acted in bad faith, asserted a claim or defense that is frivolous and that is costly to the other party, asserted an unfounded position solely to delay the course of the proceedings; or committed fraud upon the Court.

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Dated: February 8, 2008



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Name	Per Diem	Mileage	Other	Total
MOVA, MERE	21,954.00	0.00	4,480.24	26,434.24
PAPPAS, SANDRA L	19,872.00	705.68	4,379.77	24,957.45
TOMASSONI, DAVID J	19,620.00	12,750.77	15,200.39	47,571.16
REST, ANN H	19,584.00	837.11	5,169.12	25,590.23
SCHIED, LINDA J	18,920.00	1,367.34	3,474.78	23,762.12
BAKK, THOMAS M	18,846.00	12,583.35	17,896.14	49,325.49
BERGLIN, LINDA	18,816.00	186.26	3,978.31	22,980.57
MURPHY, STEVEN L	18,408.00	2,740.25	17,820.15	38,968.40
CLARK, TARRYL L	18,356.00	4,831.84	11,785.80	34,974.64
LYNCH, ANN L	18,240.00	5,257.02	11,595.15	34,092.17
LANGSETH, KEITH	18,156.00	12,834.34	14,937.59	45,927.93
KUBLY, GARY W	17,442.00	11,062.37	14,826.39	43,330.76
WIGER, CHARLES W	17,136.00	298.55	14,826.39	21,239.44
SAXHAUG, THOMAS W	17,116.00	6,145.67	17,062.52	39,924.19
ANDERSON, ELLEN R	16,716.00	308.34	4,760.26	21,748.60
VICKERMAN, JAMES M	16,680.00	8,786.92	14,291.17	39,626.09
POGEMILLER, LAWRENCE	16,548.00	677.91	1,500.00	18,551.91
FOLEY, LEO T	16,374.00	839.97	4,777.54	21,691.51
SOLOIN, YVONNE M	15,876.00	4,729.71	4,469.09	35,074.80
OLSON, GEN	15,840.00	1,002.98	2,139.12	17,982.10
METZEN, JAMES P	15,744.00	760.03	791.30	17,295.33
OLSON, MARY A	15,744.00	7,843.95	18,397.79	41,985.74
STUMPF, LEROY	15,666.00	12,303.30	13,944.88	41,914.18
FREDERICKSON, DENNIS	15,552.00	6,494.13	14,715.81	36,761.94
KOERING, PAUL E	15,456.00	10,441.00	15,271.13	41,168.13
JUNGBAUER, MICHAEL J	15,264.00	1,496.72	6,090.19	22,850.91
LARSON, DANIEL G	15,264.00	1,127.07	3,167.34	18,558.41
OLSEN, RICHARD E	15,138.00	6,398.12	3,190.00	24,726.12
ROHLING, CLAIRE	15,138.00	962.12	2,967.82	19,067.94
RUMMEL, SANDRA G	15,072.00	141.66	2,374.89	17,587.55
DILLE, STEVE	15,042.00	5,008.60	11,587.60	31,638.20
SPARKS, DANIEL D	14,784.00	7,251.24	14,028.27	36,063.51
DOLL, JOHN P	14,688.00	146.47	3,363.94	18,198.41
RAY, PATRICIA T	14,688.00	84.88	2,998.16	17,771.04
GERLACH, CHRIS A	14,592.00	252.20	1,500.00	16,344.20
HIGGINS, LINDA I	14,562.00	130.95	2,804.40	17,497.35
DIBBLE, DAVID S	14,466.00	63.05	3,538.47	18,067.52
NEUVILLE, THOMAS M	14,304.00	2,178.81	4,868.85	21,351.66
SENJEM, DAVID H	14,208.00	1,907.02	13,428.04	29,543.06
GIMSE, JOSEPH R	14,208.00	5,112.87	13,471.60	32,792.47
SKOGEN, DANNY P	14,208.00	7,253.19	15,442.34	36,903.53
CHAUDHARY, SATVEER	14,112.00	601.40	4,550.11	19,263.51
WERGIN, BETSY L	14,112.00	2,906.15	12,777.65	29,795.80
HANN, DAVID W	14,016.00	54.32	1,674.90	15,745.22
FISCHBACH, MICHELLE L	13,920.00	2,720.85	15,056.05	31,696.90
SKOE, RODNEY W	13,728.00	6,001.88	17,713.39	37,443.27
SALTZMAN, KATHY L	13,632.00	12.13	2,285.00	15,929.13
LIMMER, WARREN E	13,536.00	75.66	1,365.00	15,176.66
JOHNSON, DEBBIE J	13,536.00	58.20	1,591.50	15,185.70
LATZ, RONALD S	13,440.00	15.52	2,725.00	16,180.52
ORTMAN, JULIANNE E	13,344.00	0.00	1,825.00	15,169.00
CARLSON, JAMES A	13,344.00	0.00	825.00	14,169.00
ROPES, SHARON L	12,864.00	2,877.03	14,811.16	30,552.19
SIEBEN, KATHERINE J	12,864.00	0.00	3,075.00	15,939.00



Name	Per Diem	Mileage	Other	Total
BETZOLD, DONALD R	12,738.00	565.51	1,275.00	14,578.51
ROSEN, JULIE A	12,576.00	6,127.50	17,275.00	35,978.50
COHEN, RICHARD J	11,687.50	0.00	1,575.00	13,262.50
INGEBRIGTSEN, WILLIAM G	11,020.00	7,078.96	18,059.37	36,158.33
DOYSCHER, KATHLEEN S	10,758.00	4,795.82	13,007.96	28,561.78
BONOFF, TERRI E	10,560.00	0.00	2,000.00	12,560.00
KOCH, AMY T	9,930.00	2,354.71	14,207.33	26,492.04
MARTY, JOHN J	9,885.00	554.93	2,196.45	12,636.38
PARISEAU, PATRICIA	9,828.00	62.08	2,417.62	12,307.70
MITCHELL, GEOFFREY S	9,240.00	0.00	1,575.00	10,815.00
LOUREY, ANTHONY L	9,174.00	0.00	787.50	9,961.50
VANDEVEER, RAYMOND J	8,174.00	0.00	1,243.00	10,417.00
DAY, RICHARD H	8,844.00	4,388.85	10,751.63	23,984.48
KISCADEN, SHEILA M	726.00	676.40	25.07	1,427.47
SAMS, DALLAS C	660.00	801.00	625.00	2,086.00
SKOGLUND, WESLEY J	462.00	28.93	631.35	1,122.28
HOTTINGER, JOHN C	330.00	0.00	0.00	330.00
RANUM, JANE B	66.00	0.00	0.00	66.00
*** COMPANY TOTALS	987,382.50	207,061.59	530,419.28	1,724,863.37

Date: 1/10/2008  
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Member's Per Diem Ranking - 2007

\*Interim Per Diem May Include Per Diem incurred last year

Name	Session Per Diem	Interim Per Diem	Special Session	Per Diem Total
JUHNKE, ALAN R	10,703.00	7,377.35	154.00	18,234.35
KELLIHER, MARGARET A	10,465.68	7,150.00	154.00	17,769.68
CARLSON, LYNDON R	10,465.68	5,698.00	154.00	16,317.68
RUKAVINA, THOMAS M	10,703.00	4,598.00	154.00	15,455.00
LIEDER, BERNARD L	10,703.00	3,762.00	154.00	14,619.00
SOLBERG, LOREN A	10,696.68	3,366.00	154.00	14,216.68
SERTICH, ANTHONY J	10,703.00	3,289.00	154.00	14,146.00
HUNTLEY, THOMAS E	10,703.00	2,970.00	154.00	13,827.00
PELOWSKI, GENE P	10,703.00	2,541.00	154.00	13,398.00
MULLERY, JOSEPH J	10,703.00	2,222.00	154.00	13,079.00
EKEN, BERNHARD KENT	10,696.68	2,112.00	154.00	12,962.68
TINGELSTAD, KATHY M	10,703.00	2,079.00	154.00	12,936.00
KAHN, PHYLLIS L	10,465.68	2,310.00	154.00	12,929.68
HILSTROM, DEBRA J	10,703.00	2,002.00	154.00	12,859.00
JAROS, MICHAEL J	10,703.00	1,848.00	154.00	12,705.00
HAUSMAN, ALICE	10,703.00	1,771.00	154.00	12,628.00
CLARK, KAREN J	10,703.00	1,765.00	154.00	12,622.00
SEIFERT, MARTIN J	10,703.00	1,650.00	154.00	12,507.00
SMITH, STEVEN C	10,703.00	1,591.00	154.00	12,448.00
WAGENIUS, JEAN D	10,703.00	1,547.35	154.00	12,404.35
KOENEN, LYLE J	10,703.00	1,375.00	154.00	12,232.00
HOWES, LARRY D	10,703.00	1,364.00	154.00	12,221.00
PETERSON, AARON D	10,703.00	1,320.00	154.00	12,177.00
HILTY, WILLIAM J	10,472.00	1,540.00	154.00	12,166.00
GUNTHER, ROBERT C	10,703.00	1,261.58	154.00	12,118.58
ERHARDT, RONNIE P	10,703.00	1,232.00	154.00	12,089.00
MARIANI, CARLOS	10,703.00	1,155.00	154.00	12,012.00
OTREMBA, MARY ELLEN	10,703.00	1,150.00	154.00	12,007.00
DILL, DAVID K	10,703.00	1,140.00	154.00	11,997.00
LANNING, MORRIS L	10,008.00	1,944.00	0.00	11,952.00
BEARD, MICHAEL L	10,703.00	1,067.00	154.00	11,924.00
HACKBARTH, THOMAS M	10,703.00	1,012.00	154.00	11,869.00
DETTMER, ROBERT P	10,703.00	937.25	154.00	11,794.25
HOLBERG, MARY E	10,703.00	1,003.00	77.00	11,783.00
URDAHL, DEAN L	10,425.00	1,357.35	0.00	11,782.35
ATKINS, JOSEPH E	10,008.00	1,596.00	144.00	11,748.00
PAULSEN, ERIK P	10,703.00	880.00	154.00	11,737.00
GAROFALO, PATRICK L	10,564.00	988.00	152.00	11,704.00
LAINÉ, CAROLYN D	10,472.00	1,078.00	154.00	11,704.00
MAGNUS, DOUGLAS R	10,472.00	1,058.00	154.00	11,684.00
MURPHY, MARY	10,241.00	1,287.00	154.00	11,682.00
DELAFOREST, CHRISTOPHER J	10,703.00	770.00	154.00	11,627.00
PETERSON, NEIL W	10,087.00	1,386.00	154.00	11,627.00
WALKER, NEVA R	10,703.00	770.00	154.00	11,627.00
FINSTAD, BRADLEY H	10,703.00	693.00	154.00	11,550.00
LENCZEWSKI, ANN T	10,200.00	1,309.00	0.00	11,509.00
ANDERSON, BRUCE D	10,472.00	847.00	154.00	11,473.00
ERICKSON, SONDRÁ R	10,703.00	616.00	154.00	11,473.00
GREILING, MARION G	10,703.00	752.17	0.00	11,455.17
DEMME, RANDY L	10,703.00	539.00	154.00	11,396.00
NORNES, LARRY B	10,703.00	539.00	154.00	11,396.00
THAO, CY	10,703.00	528.00	154.00	11,385.00

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Name	Session Per Diem	Interim Per Diem	Special Session	Per Diem Total
BUESGENS, MARK W	7,722.00	393.00	132.00	8,247.00
MORROW, TERENCE S	7,722.00	330.00	132.00	8,184.00
BERNS, JOHN M	6,402.00	1,575.25	132.00	8,109.25
ANZELC, THOMAS E	7,722.00	132.00	132.00	7,986.00
KNUTH, KATHERINE A	7,623.00	154.00	154.00	7,931.00
DOMINGUEZ, AUGUSTINE	7,128.00	616.00	144.00	7,888.00
HAWS, LARRY W	7,667.00	220.00	0.00	7,887.00
WARDLOW, LYNN D	7,469.00	228.00	154.00	7,851.00
HORNSTEIN, FRANK D	7,623.00	60.00	154.00	7,837.00
MORGAN, WILLIAM E	7,722.00	0.00	0.00	7,722.00
MARQUART, PAUL A	7,590.00	77.00	0.00	7,667.00
OLIN, DAVID M	6,732.00	408.00	136.00	7,276.00
BIGHAM, KARLA K	6,790.00	420.00	0.00	7,210.00
HEIDGERKEN, BERNARD A	7,194.00	0.00	0.00	7,194.00
MADORE, SHELLEY J	5,850.00	1,218.00	100.00	7,168.00
NORTON, KIMBERLY M	6,790.00	10.00	140.00	6,940.00
BENSON, JOHN H	6,930.00	0.00	0.00	6,930.00
DITTRICH, DENISE R	5,950.00	693.00	100.00	6,743.00
MURPHY, ERIN P	6,395.68	165.00	132.00	6,692.68
LIEBLING, TINA	6,402.00	274.00	0.00	6,676.00
WINKLER, RYAN P	6,402.00	127.00	132.00	6,661.00
WELTI, ANDREW J	6,422.00	12.78	132.00	6,566.78
MCFARLANE, CAROL J	5,820.00	660.00	60.00	6,540.00
EASTLUND, ROBERT B	6,534.00	0.00	0.00	6,534.00
THISSEN, PAUL C	5,346.00	517.00	108.00	5,971.00
SCALZE, BEVERLY M	4,950.00	650.00	0.00	5,600.00
RUUD, MARIA N	5,335.00	0.00	110.00	5,445.00
MASIN, SANDRA A	4,850.00	350.00	0.00	5,200.00
GARDNER, PAUL D	3,465.00	105.00	70.00	3,640.00
JOHNSON, RUTH E	0.00	594.00	0.00	594.00
DRAZKOWSKI, STEVEN J	0.00	385.00	154.00	539.00
BLAINE, GREG J	0.00	198.00	0.00	198.00
GOODWIN, BARBARA J	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
KNOBLACH, JAMES M	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
LATZ, RONALD S	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
SAMUELSON, CHARLOTTE A	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
WESTERBERG, ANDREW J	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
WILKIN, TIMOTHY P	0.00	66.00	0.00	66.00
SIMON, STEPHEN F	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	1,216,382.62	140,622.56	15,846.00	1,372,851.18

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ABELER, JAMES	2007	9,548.00	625.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	920.63	11,093.63
	TOTAL:	9,548.00	625.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	920.63	11,093.63
ANDERSON, BRUCE	2007	11,473.00	706.46	6,230.00	1,625.44	0.00	1,500.00	21,534.90
	TOTAL:	11,473.00	706.46	6,230.00	1,625.44	0.00	1,500.00	21,534.90
ANDERSON, SARAH	2007	8,436.22	499.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	875.00	9,810.41
	TOTAL:	8,436.22	499.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	875.00	9,810.41
ANZELC, THOMAS	2007	7,986.00	3,100.00	4,670.00	4,925.87	0.00	0.00	20,681.87
	TOTAL:	7,986.00	3,100.00	4,670.00	4,925.87	0.00	0.00	20,681.87
ATKINS, JOSEPH	2007	11,748.00	425.00	0.00	150.35	4,491.53	1,500.00	18,314.88
	TOTAL:	11,748.00	425.00	0.00	150.35	4,491.53	1,500.00	18,314.88
BEARD, MICHAEL	2007	11,924.00	550.00	0.00	168.78	0.00	1,125.00	13,767.78
	TOTAL:	11,924.00	550.00	0.00	168.78	0.00	1,125.00	13,767.78
BENSON, JOHN	2007	6,930.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	960.00	7,890.00
	TOTAL:	6,930.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	960.00	7,890.00
BERNS, JOHN	2007	8,109.25	374.19	0.00	122.22	1,184.38	858.86	10,648.90
	TOTAL:	8,109.25	374.19	0.00	122.22	1,184.38	858.86	10,648.90
BIGHAM, KARLA	2007	7,210.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	8,410.00
	TOTAL:	7,210.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	8,410.00
BLAINE, GREG	2007	198.00	2,245.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	207.72	2,651.52
	TOTAL:	198.00	2,245.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	207.72	2,651.52
BLY, DAVID	2007	9,875.93	400.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	11,776.83
	TOTAL:	9,875.93	400.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	11,776.83

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BRADLEY, FRANCIS	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	95.10	95.10
	TOTAL:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	95.10	95.10
BROD, LAURA	2007	8,448.00	1,894.84	0.00	47.53	1,048.39	502.40	11,941.16
	TOTAL:	8,448.00	1,894.84	0.00	47.53	1,048.39	502.40	11,941.16
BROWN, ROBIN	2007	9,535.15	2,766.63	3,970.00	2,423.08	0.00	1,500.00	20,194.86
	TOTAL:	9,535.15	2,766.63	3,970.00	2,423.08	0.00	1,500.00	20,194.86
BRYNAERT, KATHLEEN	2007	8,375.68	75.00	6,530.70	2,786.90	0.00	1,500.00	19,268.28
	TOTAL:	8,375.68	75.00	6,530.70	2,786.90	0.00	1,500.00	19,268.28
BUESGENS, MARK	2007	8,247.00	449.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	10,196.19
	TOTAL:	8,247.00	449.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	10,196.19
BUNN, JULIE	2007	8,450.00	0.00	68.98	225.53	0.00	1,500.00	10,244.51
	TOTAL:	8,450.00	0.00	68.98	225.53	0.00	1,500.00	10,244.51
CARLSON, LYNDON	2007	16,317.68	574.19	7.00	91.66	1,777.40	1,040.79	19,808.72
	TOTAL:	16,317.68	574.19	7.00	91.66	1,777.40	1,040.79	19,808.72
CLARK, KAREN	2007	12,622.00	450.00	0.00	357.45	3,289.87	1,500.00	18,219.32
	TOTAL:	12,622.00	450.00	0.00	357.45	3,289.87	1,500.00	18,219.32
CORNISH, ANTHONY	2007	9,504.00	4,270.24	7,700.00	1,249.36	0.00	1,555.00	24,278.60
	TOTAL:	9,504.00	4,270.24	7,700.00	1,249.36	0.00	1,555.00	24,278.60
DAVIE, JAMES	2007	11,260.00	474.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	730.39	12,464.58
	TOTAL:	11,260.00	474.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	730.39	12,464.58
DEAN, MATTHEW	2007	8,781.46	0.00	68.98	219.71	0.00	1,500.00	10,570.15
	TOTAL:	8,781.46	0.00	68.98	219.71	0.00	1,500.00	10,570.15

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DELAFOREST, CHRISTOPHER	2007	11,627.00	525.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	13,652.00
TOTAL:		11,627.00	525.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	13,652.00
DEMME, RANDY	2007	11,396.00	1,631.37	11,439.18	2,095.20	0.00	1,159.95	27,721.70
TOTAL:		11,396.00	1,631.37	11,439.18	2,095.20	0.00	1,159.95	27,721.70
DETTMER, ROBERT	2007	11,794.25	571.65	0.00	165.38	0.00	1,500.00	14,031.28
TOTAL:		11,794.25	571.65	0.00	165.38	0.00	1,500.00	14,031.28
DILL, DAVID	2007	11,997.00	8,759.68	6,381.84	8,188.94	69.44	1,436.55	36,833.45
TOTAL:		11,997.00	8,759.68	6,381.84	8,188.94	69.44	1,436.55	36,833.45
DITTRICH, DENISE	2007	6,743.00	499.19	97.46	47.53	0.00	1,500.00	8,887.18
TOTAL:		6,743.00	499.19	97.46	47.53	0.00	1,500.00	8,887.18
DOMINGUEZ, AUGUSTINE	2007	7,888.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	9,938.00
TOTAL:		7,888.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	9,938.00
DOTY, ALAN	2007	8,990.00	2,645.03	7,495.84	3,144.14	0.00	1,500.00	23,775.01
TOTAL:		8,990.00	2,645.03	7,495.84	3,144.14	0.00	1,500.00	23,775.01
DRAZKOWSKI, STEVEN	2007	539.00	0.00	3,223.65	845.85	0.00	187.50	4,796.00
TOTAL:		539.00	0.00	3,223.65	845.85	0.00	187.50	4,796.00
EASTLUND, ROBERT	2007	6,534.00	1,413.41	0.00	1,566.07	0.00	0.00	9,513.48
TOTAL:		6,534.00	1,413.41	0.00	1,566.07	0.00	0.00	9,513.48
EKEN, BERNHARD	2007	12,962.68	7,009.68	9,884.54	8,414.24	2,586.58	2,001.03	42,858.75
TOTAL:		12,962.68	7,009.68	9,884.54	8,414.24	2,586.58	2,001.03	42,858.75
EMMER, THOMAS	2007	10,846.00	0.00	0.00	227.95	0.00	1,583.11	12,657.06
TOTAL:		10,846.00	0.00	0.00	227.95	0.00	1,583.11	12,657.06

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ERHARDT, RONNIE	2007	12,089.00	250.00	0.00	181.39	1,648.03	1,500.00	15,668.42
	TOTAL:	12,089.00	250.00	0.00	181.39	1,648.03	1,500.00	15,668.42
BRICKSON, SONDRRA	2007	11,473.00	3,589.83	10,575.04	2,291.64	0.00	110.00	28,039.51
	TOTAL:	11,473.00	3,589.83	10,575.04	2,291.64	0.00	110.00	28,039.51
FAUST, TIMOTHY	2007	8,908.00	570.97	3,010.00	2,622.73	75.00	1,500.00	16,686.70
	TOTAL:	8,908.00	570.97	3,010.00	2,622.73	75.00	1,500.00	16,686.70
FINSTAD, BRADLEY	2007	11,550.00	3,943.83	14,400.00	3,443.53	0.00	1,500.00	34,837.36
	TOTAL:	11,550.00	3,943.83	14,400.00	3,443.53	0.00	1,500.00	34,837.36
FRITZ, PATRICIA	2007	10,142.00	1,724.61	7,492.48	2,043.38	0.00	1,500.00	22,902.47
	TOTAL:	10,142.00	1,724.61	7,492.48	2,043.38	0.00	1,500.00	22,902.47
GARDNER, PAUL	2007	3,640.00	150.00	0.00	98.46	0.00	572.09	4,460.55
	TOTAL:	3,640.00	150.00	0.00	98.46	0.00	572.09	4,460.55
GAROFALO, PATRICK	2007	11,704.00	1,419.48	97.46	41.22	0.00	1,540.55	14,802.71
	TOTAL:	11,704.00	1,419.48	97.46	41.22	0.00	1,540.55	14,802.71
GOODWIN, BARBARA	2007	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.00	196.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	55.00	196.00
GOTTWALT, STEVEN	2007	9,614.00	424.19	5,580.00	1,890.82	0.00	1,500.00	19,009.01
	TOTAL:	9,614.00	424.19	5,580.00	1,890.82	0.00	1,500.00	19,009.01
GREILING, MARION	2007	11,455.17	524.19	53.66	0.00	1,996.38	1,126.53	15,155.93
	TOTAL:	11,455.17	524.19	53.66	0.00	1,996.38	1,126.53	15,155.93
GUNTHER, ROBERT	2007	12,118.58	4,150.03	14,149.04	5,227.56	0.00	1,610.00	37,255.21
	TOTAL:	12,118.58	4,150.03	14,149.04	5,227.56	0.00	1,610.00	37,255.21

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HACKBARTH, THOMAS	2007	11,869.00	649.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,518.19
	TOTAL:	11,869.00	649.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12,518.19
HAMILTON, RODNEY	2007	9,757.00	4,439.44	10,302.65	3,929.05	1,084.87	1,500.00	31,013.01
	TOTAL:	9,757.00	4,439.44	10,302.65	3,929.05	1,084.87	1,500.00	31,013.01
HANSEN, RICHARD	2007	10,395.00	350.00	0.00	450.68	0.00	1,069.48	12,265.16
	TOTAL:	10,395.00	350.00	0.00	450.68	0.00	1,069.48	12,265.16
HAUSMAN, ALICE	2007	12,628.00	499.19	0.00	0.00	1,909.76	1,500.00	16,536.95
	TOTAL:	12,628.00	499.19	0.00	0.00	1,909.76	1,500.00	16,536.95
HAWES, LARRY	2007	7,887.00	574.19	5,520.00	1,689.48	0.00	1,500.00	17,170.67
	TOTAL:	7,887.00	574.19	5,520.00	1,689.48	0.00	1,500.00	17,170.67
HEIDGERKEN, BERNARD	2007	7,194.00	4,423.60	5,360.00	2,647.64	0.00	939.95	20,565.19
	TOTAL:	7,194.00	4,423.60	5,360.00	2,647.64	0.00	939.95	20,565.19
HILSTROM, DEBRA	2007	12,859.00	550.00	0.00	240.08	1,009.62	1,436.73	16,095.43
	TOTAL:	12,859.00	550.00	0.00	240.08	1,009.62	1,436.73	16,095.43
HILTY, WILLIAM	2007	12,166.00	5,559.68	12,056.73	4,683.73	970.72	1,500.00	36,936.86
	TOTAL:	12,166.00	5,559.68	12,056.73	4,683.73	970.72	1,500.00	36,936.86
HOLBERG, MARY	2007	11,783.00	474.19	0.00	192.53	0.00	1,500.00	13,949.72
	TOTAL:	11,783.00	474.19	0.00	192.53	0.00	1,500.00	13,949.72
HOPE, JOSEPH	2007	11,242.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	459.88	11,701.88
	TOTAL:	11,242.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	459.88	11,701.88
HORNSTEIN, FRANK	2007	7,837.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,837.00
	TOTAL:	7,837.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,837.00

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HORTMAN, MELISSA	2007	10,384.00	574.19	75.56	111.55	65.00	1,500.00	12,710.30
	TOTAL:	10,384.00	574.19	75.56	111.55	65.00	1,500.00	12,710.30
HOSCH, LAWRENCE	2007	9,472.00	1,236.85	12,000.00	2,664.61	0.00	960.89	26,334.35
	TOTAL:	9,472.00	1,236.85	12,000.00	2,664.61	0.00	960.89	26,334.35
HOWES, LARRY	2007	12,221.00	5,350.00	11,417.17	6,924.80	0.00	1,500.00	37,412.97
	TOTAL:	12,221.00	5,350.00	11,417.17	6,924.80	0.00	1,500.00	37,412.97
HUNTLEY, THOMAS	2007	13,827.00	799.19	14,827.47	4,410.20	0.00	549.33	34,413.19
	TOTAL:	13,827.00	799.19	14,827.47	4,410.20	0.00	549.33	34,413.19
JAROS, MICHAEL	2007	12,705.00	350.00	6,647.32	4,753.86	244.47	483.27	25,183.92
	TOTAL:	12,705.00	350.00	6,647.32	4,753.86	244.47	483.27	25,183.92
JOHNSON, JEFFREY	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.15	46.15
	TOTAL:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.15	46.15
JOHNSON, RUTH	2007	594.00	0.00	0.00	333.75	0.00	0.00	927.75
	TOTAL:	594.00	0.00	0.00	333.75	0.00	0.00	927.75
JOHNSON, SHELDON	2007	10,230.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	75.00	1,546.17	12,425.36
	TOTAL:	10,230.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	75.00	1,546.17	12,425.36
JUHNIKE, ALAN	2007	18,234.35	1,962.84	10,791.17	7,533.84	1,738.34	1,255.82	41,516.36
	TOTAL:	18,234.35	1,962.84	10,791.17	7,533.84	1,738.34	1,255.82	41,516.36
KAHN, PHYLLIS	2007	12,929.68	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	14,979.68
	TOTAL:	12,929.68	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	14,979.68
KALIN, JEREMY	2007	8,448.00	842.70	0.00	46.56	0.00	1,455.00	10,792.26
	TOTAL:	8,448.00	842.70	0.00	46.56	0.00	1,455.00	10,792.26

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KELLHER, MARGARET	2007	17,769.68	574.19	84.21	1,158.20	1,212.12	1,500.00	22,298.40
	TOTAL:	17,769.68	574.19	84.21	1,158.20	1,212.12	1,500.00	22,298.40
KLINZING, KAREN	2007	0.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.00	155.00
	TOTAL:	0.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.00	155.00
KNOBLACH, JAMES	2007	66.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	216.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	150.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	216.00
KNUTH, KATHERINE	2007	7,931.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	9,431.00
	TOTAL:	7,931.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	9,431.00
KOENEN, LYLE	2007	12,232.00	5,559.68	5,762.22	4,593.47	170.64	1,500.00	29,818.01
	TOTAL:	12,232.00	5,559.68	5,762.22	4,593.47	170.64	1,500.00	29,818.01
KOHLS, PAUL	2007	9,779.00	1,153.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	854.10	11,786.21
	TOTAL:	9,779.00	1,153.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	854.10	11,786.21
KRANZ, SCOTT	2007	10,575.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,039.02	11,614.02
	TOTAL:	10,575.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,039.02	11,614.02
LAINE, CAROLYN	2007	11,704.00	240.00	0.00	351.63	0.00	1,500.00	13,795.63
	TOTAL:	11,704.00	240.00	0.00	351.63	0.00	1,500.00	13,795.63
LANNING, MORRIS	2007	11,952.00	945.16	13,514.05	7,038.32	192.24	1,579.90	35,221.67
	TOTAL:	11,952.00	945.16	13,514.05	7,038.32	192.24	1,579.90	35,221.67
LARSON, DANIEL	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.95	21.95
	TOTAL:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.95	21.95
LATZ, RONALD	2007	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	141.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	141.00

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LENCZEWSKI, ANN	2007	11,509.00	250.00	284.68	340.47	1,879.51	1,500.00	15,763.66
	TOTAL:	11,509.00	250.00	284.68	340.47	1,879.51	1,500.00	15,763.66
LESCH, JOHN	2007	11,242.00	425.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,422.72	13,089.72
	TOTAL:	11,242.00	425.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,422.72	13,089.72
LIEBLING, TINA	2007	6,676.00	0.00	6,099.22	1,766.37	0.00	1,500.00	16,041.59
	TOTAL:	6,676.00	0.00	6,099.22	1,766.37	0.00	1,500.00	16,041.59
LIEDER, BERNARD	2007	14,619.00	5,309.68	12,279.59	10,650.05	0.00	0.00	42,858.32
	TOTAL:	14,619.00	5,309.68	12,279.59	10,650.05	0.00	0.00	42,858.32
LILLIE, LEON	2007	9,582.00	274.19	0.00	0.00	1,095.83	1,638.45	12,590.47
	TOTAL:	9,582.00	274.19	0.00	0.00	1,095.83	1,638.45	12,590.47
LOEFFLER, DIANE	2007	9,375.00	0.00	68.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,443.98
	TOTAL:	9,375.00	0.00	68.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,443.98
MADORE, SHELLEY	2007	7,168.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	720.00	8,438.00
	TOTAL:	7,168.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	720.00	8,438.00
MAGNUS, DOUGLAS	2007	11,684.00	5,309.68	11,790.41	6,450.50	0.00	1,665.00	36,899.59
	TOTAL:	11,684.00	5,309.68	11,790.41	6,450.50	0.00	1,665.00	36,899.59
MAHONEY, TIMOTHY	2007	10,010.00	100.00	0.00	349.20	0.00	485.21	10,944.41
	TOTAL:	10,010.00	100.00	0.00	349.20	0.00	485.21	10,944.41
MARJANI, CARLOS	2007	12,012.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	14,062.00
	TOTAL:	12,012.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	14,062.00
MARQUART, PAUL	2007	7,667.00	4,800.00	5,844.37	5,633.76	0.00	0.00	23,945.13
	TOTAL:	7,667.00	4,800.00	5,844.37	5,633.76	0.00	0.00	23,945.13

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MASIN, SANDRA	2007	5,200.00	75.00	105.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,380.00
TOTAL:		5,200.00	75.00	105.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,380.00
MCFARLANE, CAROL	2007	6,540.00	625.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	8,665.00
TOTAL:		6,540.00	625.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	8,665.00
MCGNAMARA, DENNY	2007	10,032.00	75.00	0.00	145.50	0.00	416.90	10,669.40
TOTAL:		10,032.00	75.00	0.00	145.50	0.00	416.90	10,669.40
MESLOW, DOUGLAS	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.15	46.15
TOTAL:		0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	46.15	46.15
MOE, FRANK	2007	9,460.00	5,309.68	14,275.00	5,416.97	0.00	1,500.00	35,961.65
TOTAL:		9,460.00	5,309.68	14,275.00	5,416.97	0.00	1,500.00	35,961.65
MORGAN, WILLIAM	2007	7,722.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	8,922.00
TOTAL:		7,722.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	8,922.00
MORROW, TERENCE	2007	8,184.00	2,422.55	7,240.55	2,111.71	150.00	540.93	20,649.74
TOTAL:		8,184.00	2,422.55	7,240.55	2,111.71	150.00	540.93	20,649.74
MULLERY, JOSEPH	2007	13,079.00	549.19	17.50	71.30	0.00	1,500.00	15,216.99
TOTAL:		13,079.00	549.19	17.50	71.30	0.00	1,500.00	15,216.99
MURPHY, ERIN	2007	6,692.68	50.00	0.00	142.59	0.00	1,500.00	8,385.27
TOTAL:		6,692.68	50.00	0.00	142.59	0.00	1,500.00	8,385.27
MURPHY, MARY	2007	11,682.00	591.79	4,725.00	4,435.44	0.00	577.86	22,012.09
TOTAL:		11,682.00	591.79	4,725.00	4,435.44	0.00	577.86	22,012.09
NELSON, MICHAEL	2007	9,779.00	0.00	0.00	553.87	619.00	1,711.75	12,663.62
TOTAL:		9,779.00	0.00	0.00	553.87	619.00	1,711.75	12,663.62

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NEWMAN, SCOTT	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	49.95	49.95
	TOTAL:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	49.95	49.95
NORNES, LARRY	2007	11,396.00	3,536.16	12,825.00	4,699.65	0.00	1,416.35	33,873.16
	TOTAL:	11,396.00	3,536.16	12,825.00	4,699.65	0.00	1,416.35	33,873.16
NORTON, KIMBERLY	2007	6,940.00	75.00	6,099.22	1,854.16	0.00	173.84	15,142.22
	TOTAL:	6,940.00	75.00	6,099.22	1,854.16	0.00	173.84	15,142.22
OLIN, DAVID	2007	7,276.00	423.89	6,067.79	3,981.38	0.00	1,500.00	19,249.06
	TOTAL:	7,276.00	423.89	6,067.79	3,981.38	0.00	1,500.00	19,249.06
OLSON, MARK	2007	10,065.00	1,050.94	6,716.65	1,502.07	0.00	1,290.36	20,625.02
	TOTAL:	10,065.00	1,050.94	6,716.65	1,502.07	0.00	1,290.36	20,625.02
OTREMBA, MARY ELLEN	2007	12,007.00	6,655.22	9,885.00	3,348.10	170.64	1,573.10	33,639.06
	TOTAL:	12,007.00	6,655.22	9,885.00	3,348.10	170.64	1,573.10	33,639.06
OZMENT, DENNIS	2007	10,395.00	730.00	0.00	400.00	2,154.40	1,500.00	15,179.40
	TOTAL:	10,395.00	730.00	0.00	400.00	2,154.40	1,500.00	15,179.40
PAULSEN, ERIK	2007	11,737.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,510.05	13,797.05
	TOTAL:	11,737.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,510.05	13,797.05
PAYMAR, MICHAEL	2007	9,548.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	941.34	10,889.34
	TOTAL:	9,548.00	400.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	941.34	10,889.34
PELOWSKI, GENE	2007	13,398.00	1,485.33	13,688.44	4,644.36	0.00	1,196.90	34,413.03
	TOTAL:	13,398.00	1,485.33	13,688.44	4,644.36	0.00	1,196.90	34,413.03
PENAS, MAXINE	2007	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.88	75.88
	TOTAL:	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.88	75.88

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PEPPIN, JOYCE	2007	9,517.00	400.00	68.98	213.89	0.00	1,475.28	11,675.15
	TOTAL:	9,517.00	400.00	68.98	213.89	0.00	1,475.28	11,675.15
PETERSON, AARON	2007	12,177.00	5,309.68	15,255.82	5,442.82	0.00	1,179.95	39,365.27
	TOTAL:	12,177.00	5,309.68	15,255.82	5,442.82	0.00	1,179.95	39,365.27
PETERSON, NEIL	2007	11,627.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	13,701.19
	TOTAL:	11,627.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	13,701.19
PETERSON, SANDRA	2007	8,470.00	424.00	0.00	145.50	985.73	1,500.00	11,525.23
	TOTAL:	8,470.00	424.00	0.00	145.50	985.73	1,500.00	11,525.23
POPPE, JEANNE	2007	9,691.00	1,951.02	11,335.44	2,832.42	0.00	1,425.00	27,234.88
	TOTAL:	9,691.00	1,951.02	11,335.44	2,832.42	0.00	1,425.00	27,234.88
RUKAVINA, THOMAS	2007	15,455.00	3,482.04	10,157.82	7,793.16	1,094.00	1,544.07	39,526.09
	TOTAL:	15,455.00	3,482.04	10,157.82	7,793.16	1,094.00	1,544.07	39,526.09
RUTH, CONSTANCE	2007	10,164.00	679.98	13,528.03	2,229.55	150.00	1,624.22	28,375.78
	TOTAL:	10,164.00	679.98	13,528.03	2,229.55	150.00	1,624.22	28,375.78
RUDJ, MARIA	2007	5,445.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,445.00
	TOTAL:	5,445.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,445.00
SAILER, BRITA	2007	10,434.00	5,900.00	4,736.87	5,772.96	961.59	1,548.53	29,353.95
	TOTAL:	10,434.00	5,900.00	4,736.87	5,772.96	961.59	1,548.53	29,353.95
SAMUELSON, CHARLOTTE	2007	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	216.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	216.00
SCALZE, BEVERLY	2007	5,600.00	249.19	0.00	161.99	0.00	835.34	6,846.52
	TOTAL:	5,600.00	249.19	0.00	161.99	0.00	835.34	6,846.52

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SEIBERT, MARTIN	2007	12,507.00	4,678.35	9,071.00	5,196.59	0.00	1,569.90	33,022.84
	TOTAL:	12,507.00	4,678.35	9,071.00	5,196.59	0.00	1,569.90	33,022.84
SEBTRICH, ANTHONY	2007	14,146.00	6,209.68	0.00	7,453.00	0.00	1,500.00	29,308.68
	TOTAL:	14,146.00	6,209.68	0.00	7,453.00	0.00	1,500.00	29,308.68
SEVERSON, DANIEL	2007	10,003.00	960.00	14,185.18	2,397.84	0.00	1,787.50	29,333.52
	TOTAL:	10,003.00	960.00	14,185.18	2,397.84	0.00	1,787.50	29,333.52
SHIMANSKI, RON	2007	9,979.25	942.00	4,096.98	2,036.14	0.00	1,500.00	18,554.37
	TOTAL:	9,979.25	942.00	4,096.98	2,036.14	0.00	1,500.00	18,554.37
SIMPSON, DEAN	2007	11,165.00	4,909.68	10,114.00	5,350.25	0.00	1,533.55	33,072.48
	TOTAL:	11,165.00	4,909.68	10,114.00	5,350.25	0.00	1,533.55	33,072.48
SLAWIK, NORA	2007	9,625.00	300.00	0.00	163.93	0.00	60.00	10,148.93
	TOTAL:	9,625.00	300.00	0.00	163.93	0.00	60.00	10,148.93
SLOCUM, LINDA	2007	10,934.00	574.19	83.56	271.60	1,041.75	1,500.00	14,405.10
	TOTAL:	10,934.00	574.19	83.56	271.60	1,041.75	1,500.00	14,405.10
SMITH, STEVEN	2007	12,448.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,022.19
	TOTAL:	12,448.00	574.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	13,022.19
SOLBERG, LOREN	2007	14,755.68	5,309.68	12,782.62	9,434.66	1,995.88	1,517.95	45,796.47
	TOTAL:	14,755.68	5,309.68	12,782.62	9,434.66	1,995.88	1,517.95	45,796.47
SVIGGUM, STEVEN	2007	10,012.00	868.36	5,250.00	1,082.54	102.00	706.74	18,021.64
	TOTAL:	10,012.00	868.36	5,250.00	1,082.54	102.00	706.74	18,021.64
SWALLS, MARSHA	2007	10,875.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	12,375.00
	TOTAL:	10,875.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	12,375.00

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THAO, CY	2007	11,385.00	549.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,546.17	13,480.36
	TOTAL:	11,385.00	549.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,546.17	13,480.36
THISSEN, PAUL	2007	5,971.00	0.00	68.98	660.09	0.00	539.95	7,240.02
	TOTAL:	5,971.00	0.00	68.98	660.09	0.00	539.95	7,240.02
TILBERRY, THOMAS	2007	10,902.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	12,952.00
	TOTAL:	10,902.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	12,952.00
TINGELSTAD, KATHY	2007	12,936.00	574.19	100.57	75.66	1,557.35	1,500.00	16,743.77
	TOTAL:	12,936.00	574.19	100.57	75.66	1,557.35	1,500.00	16,743.77
TSCHUMPER, KENNETH	2007	9,772.68	2,220.84	6,110.00	4,651.40	0.00	675.00	23,429.92
	TOTAL:	9,772.68	2,220.84	6,110.00	4,651.40	0.00	675.00	23,429.92
URDAHL, DEAN	2007	11,782.35	376.74	6,022.85	2,925.06	0.00	1,610.00	22,717.00
	TOTAL:	11,782.35	376.74	6,022.85	2,925.06	0.00	1,610.00	22,717.00
WAGENIUS, JEAN	2007	12,404.35	0.00	0.00	13.10	0.00	0.00	12,417.45
	TOTAL:	12,404.35	0.00	0.00	13.10	0.00	0.00	12,417.45
WALKER, NEVA	2007	11,627.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,642.89	13,819.89
	TOTAL:	11,627.00	550.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,642.89	13,819.89
WARD, JOHN	2007	8,624.00	915.89	8,791.17	3,241.36	0.00	1,471.03	23,043.45
	TOTAL:	8,624.00	915.89	8,791.17	3,241.36	0.00	1,471.03	23,043.45
WARDLOW, LYNN	2007	7,851.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	625.00	8,476.00
	TOTAL:	7,851.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	625.00	8,476.00
WELTI, ANDREW	2007	6,566.78	0.00	4,577.65	1,510.29	0.00	370.01	13,024.73
	TOTAL:	6,566.78	0.00	4,577.65	1,510.29	0.00	370.01	13,024.73

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WESTERBERG, ANDREW	2007	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	141.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	141.00
WESTROM, TORREY	2007	10,903.50	5,234.48	14,750.00	4,344.16	0.00	1,554.90	36,787.04
	TOTAL:	10,903.50	5,234.48	14,750.00	4,344.16	0.00	1,554.90	36,787.04
WILKIN, TIMOTHY	2007	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	220.00	361.00
	TOTAL:	66.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	220.00	361.00
WINKLER, RYAN	2007	6,661.00	85.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	8,246.00
	TOTAL:	6,661.00	85.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	8,246.00
WOLLSCHLAGER, SANDY	2007	11,383.15	287.49	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,870.64
	TOTAL:	11,383.15	287.49	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11,870.64
ZELLERS, KURT	2007	10,923.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,585.90	12,508.90
	TOTAL:	10,923.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,585.90	12,508.90

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RE: Per Diem Should Be Fixed

Dear Senator Pogemiller and Representative Kelliher:

I write you this letter on behalf of Citizens for Rule of Law -- a patriotic organization that identifies to public officials their violations of the rule of law.

Citizens for Rule of Law are upset because the state legislature pays per diem to individual state legislators in violation of the rule of law. First, according to the Minnesota Constitution, the 2007 increases in per diem should have taken effect only after the 2008 election. Second, according to Minnesota statutes, per diem should only be paid for reimbursable living expenses beyond housing and mileage which are otherwise reimbursed.

The Constitutional provision that is being violated is:

**Sec. 9. Compensation.** The compensation of senators and representatives shall be prescribed by law. No increase of compensation shall take effect during the period for which the members of the existing house of representatives may have been elected.

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The statute that is being violated is:

**3.101 LIVING EXPENSES.**

A member of the legislature in addition to the compensation and mileage otherwise provided by law shall be reimbursed for living and other expenses incurred in the performance of duties or engaging in official business during a regular or special session and when the legislature is not in session in the manner and amount prescribed by the senate Committee on Rules and Administration for senators and by the house Committee on Rules and Legislative Administration for house members.

We ask you to stop these violations of the rule of law immediately. Please inform us of your decision on or before February 4, 2008.

If you have any questions, please call me (952) 201-5476.

Very truly yours,

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