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Subject: Annual Report of summary data collected under Minn. Stat. 626.8457, Subd. 3e.

Dear Senators, Representatives, Director Lincoln:

*Minnesota Statutes*, section 626.8457, subdivision 4e, requires the board to prepare a report that contains summary data provided under paragraph Minn. Stat. 626.8457 (b). This section further requires the board to post the report on its publicly accessible website and provide a copy to the chairs and ranking minority members of the senate and house of representatives committees and divisions having jurisdiction over criminal justice policy.

The reform legislation, 2020 Minn. Laws 2nd Special Session Chapter 1, Section 20 required law enforcement agencies to begin reporting the data under this statute beginning July 1, 2021. The Board is currently developing the reporting database which will go live after July 1, 2021. Until after that date, there is no data to report as required in this subdivision.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 651-201-7789 or email erik.misselt@state.mn.us with questions or if I can provide further assistance.

Sincerely,

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