## STATE OF MINNESOTA

## IN SUPREME COURT

C4-85-1848

## ORDER AUTHORIZING DISCLOSURE OF EMPLOYEE HOME ADDRESSES TO LABOR UNION

On October 18, 2000, the Bureau of Mediation Services certified the Minnesota Teamsters Public Law Enforcement Employees Union, Local 320, Minneapolis, Minnesota, as the exclusive representative for all court reporters employed by the State of Minnesota, State Court Administrator, who are public employees within the meaning of MINN. STAT. § 179A.03, subd. 14, excluding supervisory and confidential employees (referred to herein as "the court reporters bargaining unit"). Local 320 desires a list of home addresses of the individuals in the court reporters bargaining unit. Although the Rules of Public Access to Records of the Judicial Branch generally prohibit public disclosure of an employee's home address, disclosure of home addresses of court reporters within the bargaining unit to Local 320 is in the interests of the court and necessary to the proper functioning of Local 320 in its representative role for the court reporters.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the State Court Administrator shall provide the Minnesota Teamsters Public Law Enforcement Employees Union, Local 320, Minneapolis Minnesota, with a list of home addresses of individuals in the court reporters bargaining unit for use by Local 320 solely in its representative role for the court reporters. Updates to the address list shall also be provided periodically as determined by the State Court Administrator to reflect changes including but not limited to new employees who qualify as members of the court reporter bargaining unit.

Dated: 04. 26, 2000

BY THE COURT:

Kathleen A. Blatz

Chief Justice

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