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STATE OF MINNESOTA | DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN | FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota,

Plaintiff,

v.

J. Alexander Kueng,

Thomas Kiernan Lane,

Tou Thao,

Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT OF ERIN ELDRIDGE

Court File No.: 27-CR-20-12953

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STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

ERIN ELDRIDGE, being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

1. I am an Assistant Attorney General for the State of Minnesota, and I make this affidavit in response to this Court's request.
2. I was not the source of the information in the newspaper articles of February 10 and 11, 2021 regarding alleged plea discussions with Defendant Chauvin's counsel.
3. I do not know who was the source of the information in the articles.
4. I did not order or ratify the disclosure of this information to the media.

FURTHER YOUR AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

ERIN ELDRIDGE

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 25th day of May 2021.

Notary Public

BRENDA J HANSON
NOTARY PUBLIC
MINNESOTA
My Commission Expires Jan. 31, 2025

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