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**Subject:** M.S. 14.131 Review of Proposed Revisions to Minnesota Rules Chapters 4501, 4503, 4511, 4512, 4525

## Background

The Minnesota Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board proposes to amend Minnesota Rules, Chapters 4501, 4503, 4511, 4512, 4525, governing campaign finance regulation and reporting, lobbyist registration and reporting, and audits and investigations. Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 14.131, the Board has requested that Minnesota Management and Budget (MMB) evaluate the proposed amendments for fiscal impact and benefits on units of local government.

## Evaluation

On behalf of the Commissioner of MMB, I have reviewed the proposed changes and the draft of the Statement of Need and Reasonableness to help evaluate the fiscal impact these changes may have on local governments. There are no anticipated costs or savings to local governments. The proposed changes relate to government regulations for campaign organizations and lobbyists and have no substantial effect on local government expenses.

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