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The Honorable Ellen R. Anderson
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Enclosed you will find a report summarizing GAME AND FISH FUND HUNTING AND FISHING REVENUE/EXPENDITURE ALLOCATIONS.

The Department of Natural Resources was required by Minnesota Session Law 2007, Chapter 57, Article 1, Section 4, Subdivision 7, to develop this report summarizing: (1) allocation of game and fish fund receipts and expenditures related to fishing and hunting activities for fiscal years 1989 to 2007 and projected receipts and expenditures for fiscal years 2008 and 2009; (2) recommendations for short-term changes to correct any imbalances; and (3) recommendations for long-term changes that will ensure that fishing license revenue is adequate to cover fishing-related expenditures and hunting license revenue is adequate to cover hunting-related expenditures.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Mark Holsten". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Mark Holsten
Commissioner

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c Ms. Laurie Martinson, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Natural Resources
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