Attn: University of Minnesota Departments

Re: Exempt purchases in North Dakota

Please read the following instructions and explanations carefully:

In order to claim an exemption in North Dakota, a copy of the North Dakota Certificate of Exempt Status – Exempt Organization letter, as attached, must be presented to the sellers.

In addition, payment for the item or service must be made using the University Procurement Card (PCard) or a University check. If payment is made using a personal credit card or check, you will have to pay sales tax on the item, even if later you will be reimbursed by the University.

North Dakota does not exclude items from our exempt status, so if you follow all the instructions above, sales tax on all your purchases should be exempt in North Dakota.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding North Dakota sales tax exemptions, please feel free to reach us at 612-624-1053 or email at TaxHelp@umn.edu.

Sincerely,

The University Tax Management Office
State of North Dakota
Certificate of Exempt Status - Exempt Organization

Under the provisions of North Dakota Century Code § 57-39.2-04, the organization whose name appears below is certified to be exempt from sales taxes applicable to purchases, rentals and leases of tangible personal property to be used solely and exclusively in the performance of functions by that organization.

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