

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

Do No Harm, Inc., a nonprofit corporation,

Plaintiff,

V.

Dr. Brooke Cunningham, in her official capacity as Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Health,

Defendant.

Court File No. 0:25-cv-00287-KMM-JFD

**CORRECTED MOTION FOR
LEAVE TO SUPPLEMENT
COMPLAINT**

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 15(d), and United States District Court of Minnesota Local Rule 15, Plaintiff hereby submits this motion to supplement its original Complaint. In support of this motion, Plaintiff states the following:

1. On June 14, 2025, the challenged provision in this case, Minnesota Statute Section 145.987, subdivision 1, was amended as follows:

The health equity advisory and leadership (HEAL) council consists of 18 members appointed by the commissioner of health, including but not limited to members who will provide representation from the following groups.

2. On July 1, 2025, Plaintiff's counsel conferred with Defendant's counsel via email and requested consent to supplement the original Complaint to acknowledge the statutory amendment.

3. On July 14, 2025, Defendant's counsel gave written notice that she opposed Plaintiff's request to supplement the complaint.

4. Rule 15(d) enables this court, on motion and reasonable notice and on just terms, to permit a party to serve a supplemental pleading “setting out any . . . occurrence that happened after the date of the pleading to be supplemented.”

5. Plaintiff believes that the circumstances here support the need for a supplemental pleading. Although the State’s statutory amendment does not alter Plaintiff’s underlying claims, the supplemental pleading will ensure that the complaint references the updated language and accurately reflects the current state of the law.

6. Plaintiff believes no party will be prejudiced by the requested relief because the underlying claims in this matter are not affected by the statutory amendment, and there is no intent to delay the established timeline of the case.

7. On June 22, 2025, Plaintiff’s counsel notified Defendant’s counsel that, pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(b), it had scheduled a mutually agreed upon motion hearing date of August 12, 2025, at 2:00 P.M. CT before the Honorable John F. Docherty.

8. On June 23, 2025, the parties agreed to jointly request that the motion hearing be cancelled and the motion be decided upon on paper, per Local Rule 7.1(b).

9. A copy of the proposed supplemental pleading and a redlined version of the proposed supplemental pleading indicating its changes from the original Complaint are included as attachments to this motion.

Plaintiff respectfully requests that the Court grant this motion.

DATED: July 25, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 25, 2025, I filed the foregoing with the of the U.S. District Court for the District of Minnesota's CM/ECF system, which will send notice of said filing to the following counsel of record:

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