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Most Reverend Patrick M. Neary, C.S.C.  
Bishop of St. Cloud  
214 3rd Ave South  
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Dear Bishop Neary:

Based on the results of our recently performed on-site audit of the Diocese of St. Cloud, the Diocese has been found compliant with all audited Articles within the *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People* for the audit period of January 1, 2022 through June 30, 2025.

The conclusions reached as to the compliance of your Diocese are based upon inquiry, observation and the review of specifically requested documentation furnished to StoneBridge Business Partners during the course of this audit.

Thank you for your cooperation during this process.

Sincerely,

*StoneBridge Business Partners*

StoneBridge Business Partners  
Rochester, New York

cc: Secretariat of Child and Youth Protection  
Colleen Haider, Executive Administrative Assistant to Bishop Neary, Diocese of St. Cloud