



Minnesota's Authorized Requester Law, formally known as Tangible Interest Law, refers to the legitimate reason for which people may request a certified birth record or certified death record. Those who are authorized to request a certified record are:

- The child, grandchild, spouse, parent, grandparent, sibling (death record only), legal custodian or guardian of the subject.
- The person who filed (or representative of an organization that filed) the death record with the Minnesota Department of Health or the local registrar.
- A person demonstrating a need to protect personal or property rights.
- A person presenting a court order directing issuance of a certified record.