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May 14, 2013

To All Interested Parties:

**Chief Legislative Analyst** 

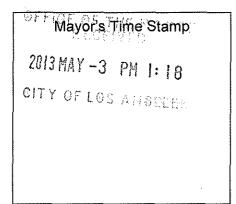
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the City Council adopted the action(s), as attached, under

Council File No. <u>13-0002-S32</u>, at its meeting held <u>May 1, 2013</u>.

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SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR

COUNCIL FILE NO. 13-0002-S32

COUNCIL DISTRICT

COUNCIL APPROVAL DATE MAY 1, 2013

RE: THE CITY'S POSITION TO SUPPORT SENATE BILL (SB) 57 (LIEU) WHICH WOULD INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR PAROLEES WHO REMOVE THEIR ANKLE-MOUNTED MONITORING DEVICES WITHOUT APPROVAL

MAY 1 3 2013 LAST DAY FOR MAYOR TO ACT \_\_\_\_ [10 Day Charter requirement as per Charter Section 231(h)]

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File No. 13-0002-S32

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LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

## TO THE COUNCIL OF THE **CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

## Your RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS Committee

## reports as follows:

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to the City's position to support Senate Bill (SB) 57 (Lieu) which would increase the penalties for parolees who remove their ankle-mounted monitoring devices without approval.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Englander – Buscaino), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2013-14 State Legislative Program SUPPORT for SB 57 (Lieu) which would increase the penalties for parolees who remove their ankle-mounted monitoring devices without approval.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The Citv Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

At its regular meeting of April 19, 2013, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered a CLA report dated March 12, 2013 and Resolution (Englander -Buscaino) relative to the City's position to support SB 57 (Lieu) which would increase the penalties for parolees who remove their ankle-mounted monitoring devices without approval. The CLA report, attached to Council File No. 13-0002-S32, provides a summary of the Resolution and additional background information.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution. This matter is now forwarded to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

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MEMBER WESSON: LABONGE: HUIZAR:

VOTE YES YES ABSENT

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Not Official Until Council Acts

## MAYOR WITH FILE

13-0002-532

RESOLUTION RELATIONS & INTERCOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

WHEREAS, any official position of the City of Los Angeles with respect to legislation, rules, regulations or policies proposed to or pending before a local, state or federal governmental body or agency must have first been adopted in the form of a Resolution by the City Council with the concurrence of the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, many parolees are required to wear an ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet as a condition of their parole; and

WHEREAS, the vast majority of individuals ordered to wear an ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet are on parole after being convicted of a sex offense; and

WHEREAS, these devices are essential tools for law enforcement to monitor parolees, in order to maintain public safety and to ensure that individuals on parole do not offend again; and

WHEREAS, an increasing number of parolees required to wear an ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet have been removing these devices, making it difficult for law enforcement and parole officers to track these offenders; and

WHEREAS, removal of an ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet is currently considered a parole violation and not a felony, and punishment for this act may not result in jail time in every case; and

WHEREAS, SB 57 (Lieu) would make the unauthorized removal of an ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet a felony, in order to increase the penalties for the removal of a monitoring device and to deter individuals on parole from making the decision to remove a monitoring device in the first place;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2013 - 2014 State Legislative Program SUPPORT of SB 57, which would make the unauthorized removal of a parolee's ankle-mounted monitoring bracelet a felony.

I CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING LUTION WAS ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY 2013 AT ITS MEETING OF BY A MAJORITY OF ALL ITS MEMBERS. JUNE LAGMAY CITY CLERK 1 m

PRESENTED BY CHELL ENGLANDER

Councilmember, 12<sup>th</sup> District

SECONDED BY