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Council File No.

June 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. 13-0002-S27, at its meeting held May 28, 2013. The Mayor failed to  
act by June 10, 2013, DEEMED APPROVED and EFFECTIVE June 11, 2013.

  
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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR  
ANTONIO R. VILLARAIGOSA

MEMORANDUM

To: City Clerk

From: Matt Szabo, Deputy Chief of Staff

Date: June 11, 2013

RE: CF 13-0002-S27

The City's position to support or sponsor legislation that would increase the California Vehicle License Fee to fund high school driver's education courses.

MEMO TO FILE

The Mayor supports the policy position reflected in the resolution approved by your Honorable Body on May 28, 2013. However, in the spirit of upholding the City Charter – approved by the voters of Los Angeles – which delegates intergovernmental relations authority to the Executive Branch with the sole exception of positions on “legislation proposed to or pending before the state or federal government,” the Mayor is returning this file without signature, with the understanding that this item will be considered deemed approved.

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SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR

COUNCIL FILE NO. 13-0002-S27

COUNCIL DISTRICT \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL APPROVAL DATE MAY 28, 2013

RE: THE CITY'S POSITION TO SUPPORT OR SPONSOR LEGISLATION THAT WOULD INCREASE THE CALIFORNIA VEHICLE LICENSE FEE TO FUND HIGH SCHOOL DRIVER'S EDUCATION COURSES

LAST DAY FOR MAYOR TO ACT JUN 10 2013  
[10 Day Charter requirement as per Charter Section 231(h)]

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APPROVED  
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\*DISAPPROVED  
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\*Transmit objections in writing pursuant to Charter Section 231(h)

DATE OF MAYOR APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL \_\_\_\_\_

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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 or sponsor legislation that would increase the California Vehicle License Fee to fund high school driver's education courses.

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

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2013-14 State Legislative Program, SUPPORT for or SPONSORSHIP of legislation that would increase the California Vehicle License Fee to fund high school driver's education courses.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

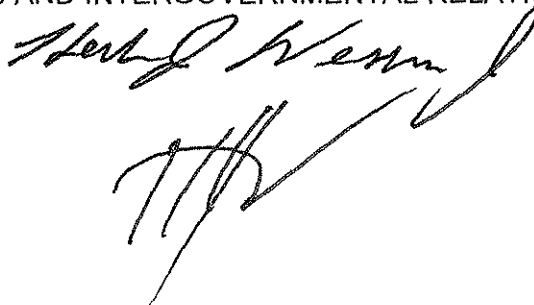
Summary:

At its regular meeting of May 17, 2013, the Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered a CLA report dated May 7, 2013 and Resolution (LaBonge – Englander) relative to the City's position to support or sponsor legislation that would increase the California Vehicle License Fee to fund high school driver's education courses. The CLA report, attached to Council File No. 13-0002-S27, 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



MEMBER            VOTE  
WESSON:        YES  
LABONGE:       ABSENT  
HUIZAR:        YES

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**ADOPTED**

MAY 28 2013

**LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL**

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RULES, ELECTIONS & INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

RESOLUTION

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, as a result of budget cuts, high schools across California have been forced to reduce or eliminate driver's education classes; and

WHEREAS, California law requires drivers license applicants under 18 years old take a driver's education course; students who cannot afford private driver's education courses are forced to wait until turning 18 to apply for a license and may never take a driver's education course, thereby missing the benefits of driver's education; and

WHEREAS, driver's education provides valuable knowledge for young motorists, making them safer and more responsible drivers, to the benefit of all who share the road with them; and

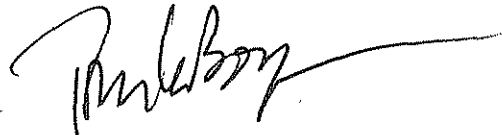
WHEREAS, as the benefits of driver's education are enjoyed by all motorists, all motorists should help fund these programs; and

WHEREAS, a modest increase to the California Vehicle License Fee, paid by all California drivers, could be a source of funds for driver's education courses; and

WHEREAS, the City of Los Angeles should support efforts to reinstitute and fund driver's education courses in high schools;

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 for or SPONSORSHIP of legislation that would increase the Vehicle License Fee to fund high school driver's education programs.

PRESENTED BY



TOM LABONGE  
Councilmember, 4<sup>th</sup> District

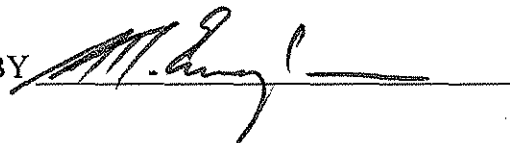
  
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