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REPORT RE:

DRAFT ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 104.15 OF ARTICLE 4, CHAPTER X OF THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE TO AUTHORIZE THE LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF WATER AND POWER TO DISCONNECT UTILITIES AT UNLAWFUL COMMERCIAL CANNABIS ESTABLISHMENTS

The Honorable City Council of the City of Los Angeles Room 395, City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, California 90012

Council File No. 14-0366-S24

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to your request, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration, the enclosed draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality. The ordinance would amend Section 104.15 of Article 4 of Chapter X of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to authorize the Department of Water and Power to disconnect the utilities at a location in the City at which unlicensed commercial cannabis activity is occurring.

Council Rule 38 Referral

A copy of the draft ordinance was sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Department of Water and Power, the Los Angeles Police Department, and the Department of Cannabis Regulation with a request that all comments, if any, be presented directly to the City Council when this matter is considered.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Alexander Freedman at (213) 978-7476. He or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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By

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