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REPORT NO. R 1 4 - 0 0 9 1

REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)

REPORT RE:

SINISHA NISEVIC v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES LASC CASE NO. SC 111 319 1001 SOUTH MAIN STREET, LOS ANGELES (COUNCIL DISTRICT ELEVEN)

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

Honorable Members:

This Office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel with respect to possible action in the above-captioned lawsuit be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

Government Code Section 54956.9(g) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, which subsection of that section authorizes the closed meeting and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

This case arises from a sewage back up on August 4, 2010, that flooded the Plaintiffs' home office and destroyed his personal property. The back up occurred because of root intrusion in the City's sewer main line.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Peter E. Langsfeld at (213) 978-8205. He or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer any questions you may have.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

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