PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to amending Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) to reflect local administrative changes and incorporate a portion of the California Energy Code.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

- 1. FIND, under California Environment Quality Act (CEQA) Section 21065 and State CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(2) and (b)(5), continuing administrative activities and organizational activities that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment, are not CEQA projects. The ordinance makes various technical changes to the existing regulations, eliminates obsolete code sections, and clarifies code sections. These changes will not result in any direct or indirect physical change to the environment. Therefore, the ordinance is not subject to CEQA.
- 2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE to amend LAMC Sections 99.01.101.3 and 99.04.106.5 of Article 9, Chapter IX to reflect local administrative changes and incorporate by reference a portion of the California Energy Code.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

<u>Summary</u>

At a regular meeting held on June 24, 2014, the Planning and Land Use Management Committee considered Motion (Huizar - Fuentes) and a City Attorney report and Ordinance relative to amending the LAMC to reflect local administrative changes and incorporate a portion of the California Energy Code. Staff from the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power gave the Committee background information on the matter.

After an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council approve the recommendations contained in the City Attorney report and adopt the Ordinance amending the LAMC to reflect local administrative changes and incorporate a portion of the California Energy Code. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEEMEMBERVOTEHUIZAR:YESCEDILLO:YESENGLANDER:YESSG
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