I MOVE that the CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION (RYU for BLUMENFIELD – HUIZAR – HARRIS-DAWSON) relative to establishing the City's position regarding California Public Utilities Commission Resolution G-3536, and any other similar legislative or administrative provisions that would impose an unplanned moratorium on new gas service connections to customers in the City of Los Angeles (CF# 18-0002-S7; Item No. 28 on today’s Council Agenda) BE AMENDED to include the technical adjustment noted below and the following recommendations in addition to the recommendations contained in the file:

- Strike the word “Federal” from recommendation No. 1 and insert the word “State”;

- Instruct the Building and Safety Department, in consultation with the Department of Water and Power, to report back within 90 days on recommendations that would be effective in reducing demand in buildings for natural gas. This report should consider, but not be limited to, the replacement of gas in thermal heating loads, water heating and cooking in new buildings; and potential strategies for converting existing gas uses to electricity and propose policies that align with the City’s existing greenhouse gas reduction targets, as described in Mayor Garcetti’s Sustainable City PLAn; and

- Request that the Department of Water and Power establish aggressive 2028 and 2038 building electrification targets within their 2018 Integrated Resource Plan that align with the City’s existing greenhouse gas reduction targets, as described in the Mayor’s Sustainable City PLAn.

PRESENTED BY:

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Councilmember, 5th District Councilmember, 14th District Councilmember, 3rd District

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