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REPORT NO. ______ R 18-0311

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

REPORT RE:

SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

RACHEL HUNTER v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES, et al. LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. BC 630635

The Honorable City Council City of Los Angeles Room 395, City Hall 200 N. Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

(Re: Claim No. C14-01680)

Honorable Members:

This office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1). Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1) requires you to state publicly prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this 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.

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This matter involves an alleged claim of personal injuries arising from a fall on the sidewalk on Mateo Street between Willow and East 6th Street.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney, Ronald Whitaker at (213) 978-7071 or his supervisor Managing Assistant City Attorney, Wilberta Breedy-Richardson at (213) 978-6934. She, 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

By: SCOTT MARCUS Senior Assistant City Attorney

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cc: Board of Public Works Commission Adel H. Hagekhalil, Director Stephanie Clements, Assistant Director Abram Tejeda, Risk Management