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

REPORT RE:

REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATIONS FOR OUTSIDE COUNSEL

The Honorable Budget & Finance Committee of the City of Los Angeles Room 1010, City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 545956.9(d)(1), the City Attorney's Office wishes to meet in closed session to discuss the need for additional funding for the following outside counsel contracts in these amounts:

| C130402 | Sanders Roberts (<i>Boyd</i>) | \$290,000 |
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| C132206 | Sanders Roberts (Francis) | \$375,000 |
| C106214 | Colantuono Highsmith & Whatley (TMobile) | \$ 11,000 |
| C129460 | Colantuono Highsmith & Whatley (Engquist) | \$150,000 |
| C122342 | Theodora Oringher PC (Berkes) | \$ 11,000 |

And for new contracts as follows and in the following amounts:

\$15,000 for Meyers Nave for the *Santa Susana* matter \$270,495 for Fox Rothschild, LLP for the *Mei Ling* matter Honorable Budget & Finance Committee Page 2

We ask that the matter be placed on the Budget & Finance Committee's closed session agenda as soon as possible.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Assistant City Attorney Anne Haley at (213) 978-7009. 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

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