

# ITEM NO. 29

3/27/19 Council – Regular Meeting Agenda  
Closed Session

## MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled City of Los Angeles v. Engstrom Lipscomb and Lack, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC681077 (the discussion involves a proposed lawsuit settlement between the City of Los Angeles and Engstrom Lipscomb and Lack for unpaid business taxes, interest and penalties for the tax periods 2012 through 2016, inclusive), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:**

AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to settle litigation in the above-entitled matter; and, ACCEPT a settlement offer such that Engstrom Lipscomb and Lack would pay \$276,000, which represents the full amount of the principal tax owed and a portion of the interest; and, in the settlement the City will agree to waive the full amount of penalties and the remaining interest.

This matter was recommended for approval by the Budget and Finance Committee (Krekorian – Koretz – Bonin – Blumenfield: “Yes”) at its meeting on March 18, 2018, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

PRESENTED BY \_\_\_\_\_

PAUL KREKORIAN  
Councilmember, 2nd District

SECONDED BY \_\_\_\_\_

PAUL KORETZ  
Councilmember, 5th District

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