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## REPORT NO. **R 19-0058** MAR 0 1 2019

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

## **REPORT RE:**

## CITY OF LOS ANGELES v. ENGSTROM LIPSCOMB AND LACK LASC CASE NO. BC681077

The Honorable City Council of the City of Los Angeles Room 395, City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, California 90012

Honorable Members:

This Office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding 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 requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this section authorizes the closed session and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation

The discussion involves a proposed lawsuit settlement between the City of Los Angeles and Engstrom Lipscomb & Lack for unpaid business taxes, interest and penalties for the tax periods 2012 through 2016, inclusive.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Frank Orozco Jr. at (213) 978-7758. He or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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