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PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to extending the length of time from sixty days to six months for rewards related to hit-and-run crimes that cause injury or death; and, providing the Board of Police Commissioners the ability to reauthorize offers of rewards for information related to hit-and-run crimes.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Englander - Buscaino):

REQUEST the City Attorney, with the assistance of the Los Angeles Police Department, to prepare and present an Ordinance to amend Division 19, Chapter 12, Article 2.3 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, the Hit-and-Run Reward Program, to:

- a. Extend the length of time a reward related to a hit-and-run crime that causes an injury or death is valid from sixty days to six months.
- b. Give the Board of Police Commissioners the ability to recommend the reauthorization of offers of rewards for information related to hit-and-run crimes, with the reauthorization subject to Council approval.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At the meeting held on February 21, 2017, your Public Safety Committee considered a Motion (Englander - Buscaino) relative to extending the length of time from sixty days to six months for rewards related to hit-and-run crimes that cause injury or death; and, providing the Board of Police Commissioners the ability to reauthorize offers of rewards for information related to hit-and-run crimes.. An opportunity for public comment was held. After a brief discussion, the Committee moved to approve the recommendation contained in the Motion, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
ENGLANDER:	YES
BUSCAINO:	YES
BONIN:	YES
O'FARRELL:	YES
MARTINEZ:	ABSENT
ME	