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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 City Council
of the City of Los Angeles
200 North Spring Street
City Hall Room 395
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(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:

Colantuono & Levin	106214	\$415,000
Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP	113455	\$179,028
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	108296	\$140,000
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	108297	\$52,000
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	113155	\$25,000
Meyers Nave Riback Silver & Wilson	118838	\$758,854
Meyers Nave Riback Silver & Wilson	120019	\$350,000
Meyers Nave Riback Silver & Wilson	121421	\$30,000
Ogletree Deakins Nash Smoak & Stewart	122193	\$205,485
Remcho Johansen & Purcell	120558	\$400,000
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	111751	\$35,000

And for two-year term extensions for the following outside counsel contracts:

Liebert Cassidy Whitmore	109849
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Meyers Nave	118838
Kronick Moskowitz Tiedemann & Girard	115552

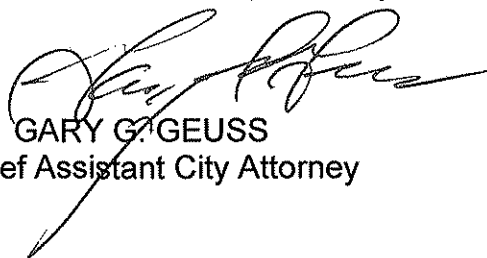
We ask that the matter be placed on the Budget and Finance Committee's closed session agenda for its meeting of June 2, 2014.

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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