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**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(2)**

REPORT RE:

SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

STEVEN J. MANNING, ET AL. v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES
CLAIM NO. C14-1043 -CLAIM CONCERNING
9771 DONINGTON PLACE (COUNCIL DISTRICT 5)

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 with respect to recommendation for City Council action in the above-captioned case be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2). Government Code Section 54956.9(g) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, which division of that section authorizes the closed meeting, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

This case arises from an inverse condemnation claim alleging that water has overflowed Mulholland Drive resulting in hillside erosion.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Michael Kaplan at (213) 978-8226. He 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

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "D. Michaelson".

By

DAVID MICHAELSON
Chief Assistant City Attorney

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