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**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(2) & (d)(4)**

REPORT RE:

SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

**SIGNIFICANT EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION BASED ON EXISTING FACTS AND
CIRCUMSTANCES REGARDING THE RECYCLA PROGRAM,
AND WHETHER TO INITIATE
LITIGATION REGARDING THE RECYCLA PROGRAM - UP TO ONE CASE**

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 discussion with, and advice from, legal counsel with respect to a potential settlement of the above-referenced exposure to litigation and/or consideration of affirmative litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(2) and (d)(4). Government Code Section 54956.9 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 exposure to litigation. We ask that the matter be placed on the closed session agendas of the Claims Board, Budget and Finance Committee and City Council as soon as practicable.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned at (213) 978-8130. Deputy City Attorney Adena M. Hopenstand, or another member of this Office, will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

By 

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