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REPORT NO. **R 18 - 0 0 8 5**MAR **3 0** 2018

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

#### REPORT RE:

### SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

JOSTON R. THENEY v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES, et al. UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CASE NO. CV15-09602 AB (AFMx)

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

Re: Claim No. C16-1694

#### Honorable Members:

This office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in 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(d)(1) requires you to state publicly prior to the closed session, what subdivision of this 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 matter arises from an incident involving members of the Los Angeles Police Department on October 3, 2015, in Los Angeles, California.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Elizabeth Fitzgerald at (213) 978-7560. 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,

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cc: Executive Director, Board of Police Commissioners President, Board of Police Commissioners Charlie Beck, Chief of Police Office of Constitutional Policing & Policy Captain and Lieutenant, Legal Affairs Division Michael Hymans, Risk Manager