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

REPORT RE:

**SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION**

ROSHANAK MAHDAVI-POUR v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
COURT OF APPEAL, STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT, NO. B284003  
LOS ANGELES SUPERIOR COURT NO. LC095639

The Honorable City Council  
City of Los Angeles  
Room 395, City Hall  
200 No. Spring Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

(Re: Claim No. C11-6304)

Honorable Members:

This office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding the recommendation for City Council action in the above-noted litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code section 54956.9(d)(1). Section 54956.9(d)(1) requires the City Council 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.

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This matter involves the City's appeal of a judgment entered after a jury verdict in favor of plaintiff Roshanak Mahdavi-Pour regarding her trip and fall on a sidewalk on February 11, 2011.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Michael M. Walsh at (213) 978-2209. He or a 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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