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

REPORT RE:

**REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATIONS, TERM EXTENSIONS  
AND NEW CONTRACTS FOR OUTSIDE COUNSEL**

The Honorable Budget & Finance Committee  
of the City of Los Angeles  
Room 1010, City Hall  
200 North Spring Street  
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:

C134975	Arnall Golden	\$ 24,873
C133518	Kaplan Kirsch Rockwell	\$ 186,127
C135524	Hogan Lovells	\$ 800,000
C132070	Law Offices of Christopher Wong	\$ 49,000
C128735	Orbach Huff Suarez & Henderson	\$ 440,000
C132207	Best Best & Krieger	\$ 150,000

And for new three year contingency contracts with Rose Klein & Marias and Laughlin Falbo Levy & Moresi for subrogation work;

And to extend the term of the following contracts:

C134975 with Arnall Golden to December 31, 2020  
C128213 with Downey Brand to August 11, 2022  
C131106 with Downey Brand to September 28, 2022  
C130439 with Downey Brand to October 11, 2022  
C127651 with Liebert Cassidy Whitmore to January 31, 2022  
C121421 with Meyers Nave to September 26, 2022  
C130402 with Sanders Roberts to July 9, 2022

We ask that the matter be placed on the Budget & Finance Committee's closed session agenda as soon as possible.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned at (213) 978-8100. 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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