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REPORT NO. R20-0287
OCT 16 2020

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

REPORT RE:

SETTLEMENT DISCUSSION

L.D., A MINOR, and JUAN FRIAS, et al., v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES, et al.
U.S. DIST. COURT CASE NOS. CV 16-04626, CV 17-00827, and CV 18-02787
NINTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEAL CASE NO. 20-55553

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

(Re: Claim Nos. C16-05033 & C16-06481)

Honorable Members:

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

This matter involves an appeal from a judgment entered after a jury verdict in favor of plaintiff.

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

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