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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY
COUNCIL
City of Long Beach
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Re: **Markel International v. City of Long Beach; Case No. 07C01396**

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize City Attorney to pay the sum of \$22,000.00 in full settlement of lawsuit entitled *Markel International v. City of Long Beach*, Case No.: 07C01396.

DISCUSSION:

On August 25, 2006, a police patrol vehicle struck a building. As a result of the accident, Plaintiff sustained property damage and incurred repair costs.

During a court-ordered mediation, the parties were able to reach a tentative settlement agreement of \$22,000.00, subject to City Council approval.

The Economic Development and Finance Committee approved the proposed settlement on March 4, 2008.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

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