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HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with Legal Counsel Taubman, Simpson, Young, & Sulentor in the matter entitled, Thomas Lee Goldstein vs. City of Long Beach.et al., Case No. CV 04-9692 AHM (Ex)

DISCUSSION

The City Council is requested to authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with the law firm of Taubman, Simpson, Young & Sultentor for an additional \$100,000 in order that they may continue to represent the City's interests in the above-entitled case.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. SHANNON, City Attorney

By:

Principal Deputy City Attorney

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