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RESOLUTION NO. C-28398

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY  
4 OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO  
5 EXECUTE, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, A CONTRACT WITH  
6 PROFORCE MARKETING, INC. DOING BUSINESS AS  
7 PROFORCE LAW ENFORCEMENT, WITHOUT ADVERTISING  
8 FOR BIDS FOR FURNISHING TASERS  
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10 WHEREAS, in April, 2004, the Long Beach Police Department purchased  
11 X26 tasers and now desires to purchase additional tasers of the same make and model;  
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13 WHEREAS, standardization will enable training and maintenance to be  
14 efficient and cost effective; and

15 WHEREAS, as a result, no useful purpose would be served by advertising  
16 for bids and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary  
17 expenditure of public funds because ProForce Marketing, Inc., doing business as ProForce  
18 Law Enforcement, is the only California dealer authorized by the manufacturer, Taser  
19 International, to sell the X26 taser;

20 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as  
21 follows:

22 Section 1. That the above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated  
23 herein by this reference.

24 Sec. 2. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract with  
25 ProForce Marketing, Inc., doing business as ProForce Law Enforcement, to purchase an  
26 additional 260 tasers in an amount not to exceed \$284,000.00, including self-accrual of  
27 tax.

28 Sec. 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the

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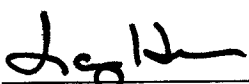
City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of August 3, 2004, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Lowenthal, Baker, Colonna,  
O'Donnell, Kell, Gabelich,  
Lerch.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: Richardson, Reyes Uranga.

  
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City Clerk