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ORDINANCE NO. ____

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AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH MAKING FINDINGS REGARDING A CONTRACT FOR WORK USUALLY PERFORMED BY CITY EMPLOYEES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT WITH CONTACT SECURITY, INC. FOR SECURITY GUARDS AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach owns and operates several buildings and facilities within the City including ones used by the Departments of Public Works, Health and Human Services and Community Development ("City Sites") which require security guards; and

WHEREAS, to obtain cost savings, the City desires to contract of the services of security guards if those services can be performed by a private contractor as efficiently, effectively and at an estimated lower cost to the City than if the services were performed by City employees; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager advertised for bids, and bids were received and analyzed and Contact Security, Inc. is the lowest responsible bidder for these services with a bid of \$869,125.00; and

WHEREAS, the City Auditor has calculated the annual cost of the services using City employees, the annual cost if the services are performed by Contact Security, Inc., and the annual cost savings; and

WHEREAS, based on this procedure and analysis, the City Council desires to make findings regarding a contract with Contact Security, Inc. and desires to authorize a contract with that bidder:

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach ordains as follows:

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1	Section 1. Based on the calculations of the City Auditor, the annual cost
2	for security guards at the City Sites and the cost savings are shown below:
3	Cost using City employees: \$1,279,324.00
4	Cost using private contractor: \$ 518,366.00
5	Annual Savings: \$ 760,958.00
6	Sec. 2. The City Council finds and determines that the services of
7	security guards can be performed by a private contractor as efficiently and effectively as
8	if these services were performed by City employees.
9	Sec. 3. The City Council has considered all other relevant factors and
10	finds and determines that the performance of these services by a private contractor will
11	not be detrimental or adverse to the best interests of the citizens of the City.
12	Sec. 4. The City Manager is authorized to execute a contract with Contact
13	Security, Inc. in an annual amount not to exceed \$869,125.00 for security guards for a
14	period of one year in accordance with Specifications PA-02805, which amount is 25%
15	above the base bid to allow for as-needed or emergency services at City Sites. The
16	contract may, at the City's sole option, be renewed for three successive periods of one
17	year each by amendment of the contract at the sole discretion of the City Manager.
18	Sec. 5. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and
19	cause it to be posted in three conspicuous places in the City of Long Beach, and it shall
20	take effect on the thirty-first day after it is approved by the Mayor.
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1	I certify that this ordinance was adopted by the City Council of the City of
2	Long Beach at its meeting on, 2005, by the following vote:
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4	Ayes: Councilmembers:
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7	Noes: Councilmembers:
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9	Absent: Councilmembers:
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12	City Clerk
13	Approved:
14	(Date) Mayor

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