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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN **AGREEMENT** WITH NURSE **FORENSIC** SPECIALISTS, INC. WITHOUT BIDS FOR SEXUAL ADVERTISING FOR **ASSAULT EXAMINATIONS**

WHEREAS, the Police Department requires assistance in providing medical examinations, evidence collection and appropriate treatment with respect to victims of sexual assault; and

WHEREAS, since 1994, The City has contracted with Forensic Nurse Specialists to provide such services; and

WHEREAS, there are currently no other contractors in the area that provide sexual assault examinations; and

WHEREAS, no useful purpose would be served by advertising for bids for assistance in providing sexual assault examinations and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary expenditure of public funds;

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

Section 1. That the above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein.

Section 2. The City Manager is hereby authorized to execute a contract and any amendments thereto with Forensic Nurse Specialists, Inc. for assistance in providing medical examinations, evidence collection and appropriate treatment with respect to victims of sexual assault, in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Twenty

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1 Thousand Dollars (\$120,000.00). 2 This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption Section 3. by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify to the vote adopting this resolution. 3 4 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of ______, 2009, by 5 the following vote: 6 7 Lowenthal, DeLong, O'Donnell, 8 Ayes: Councilmembers: Schipske, Andrews, Reyes Uranga, 9 Gabelich, Lerch. 10 11 None. Councilmembers: 12 Noes: 13 Garcia. Councilmembers: 14 Absent: 15 16

City Clerk