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October 2, 2018

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with the firm of Shute, Mihaly & Weinberger LLP, in the matter entitled <u>Fast Lane Transportation</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, <u>et al.</u> v. <u>City of Los Angeles</u>, <u>et al.</u>; <u>BNSF Railway</u>, <u>et al.</u>, Real Party In Interest.

DISCUSSION

The City Council is requested to authorize the City Manager to execute a Fifth Amendment to Agreement with the firm of Shute, Mihaly & Weinberger, LLP for an additional One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) in order that they may continue to represent the City's interest in connection with the lawsuit pertaining to the Southern California International Gateway (SCIG) project.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Very truly yours,

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