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**REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT
TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9 (b)**

REPORT RE:

**DISCUSSION RELATIVE TO THREATENED LITIGATION REGARDING
CONTRACT TERMS BETWEEN BROWNING-FERRIS INDUSTRIES (BFI)
AND THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES FOR SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL**

The Honorable City Council
of the City of Los Angeles
Room 395, City Hall
200 North Spring Street
Los Angeles, California 90012

Honorable Council Members:

We have been requested to meet with your honorable body in closed session to discuss threatened litigation regarding contract terms between Browning-Ferris Industries (BFI) and the City of Los Angeles for solid waste disposal, pursuant to Government Code § 54956.9(b).

Government Code Section 54956.9 requires that you state publicly prior to the closed session the subdivision of this section that authorizes the closed meeting and that the closed session is being held to confer with or receive advice from its legal counsel regarding the threatened litigation.

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If you have any questions, please contact Assistant City Attorney, Christopher M. Westhoff at (213) 978-8158. Either he or another member of this office will be available when you consider this matter to answer any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

ROCKARD J. DELGADILLO, City Attorney

By

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Theresa Stamus", written in black ink. The signature is positioned to the right of the word "By" and above the printed name and title.

THERESA STAMUS
Assistant City Attorney

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