

PERSONNEL AND ANIMAL WELFARE COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the exemption of one Deputy General Manager Airports I and one Deputy General Manager Airports II for the Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA) from the Civil Service provisions of the City Charter.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE the exemption of one Deputy General Manager Airports I (Class Code 0162) and one Deputy General Manager Airports II (Class Code 0163) for the LAWA pursuant to Charter Section 1001(b).

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

TIME LIMIT FILE - APRIL 18, 2018

(LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION - APRIL 18, 2018)

Summary:

On March 21, 2018, your Committee considered a March 9, 2018 communication from the Mayor relative to the exemption of one Deputy General Manager Airports I and one Deputy General Manager Airports II for the LAWA from the Civil Service provisions of the City Charter pursuant to Charter Section 1001(b). According to the Mayor, the Deputy General Manager Airports I would function as the Assistant Landside Access Modernization Program (LAMP) Executive. The position will be responsible for providing LAMP management, technical leadership and other relevant duties to assist the LAMP Executive with the overall management of LAWA's multi-billion dollar LAMP at the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX); and will serve as the primary manager, assisting the LE with managing and coordinating the planning, procurement and delivery of all elements of LAMP from conceptual design through construction, and, in the case of public-private partnership projects, operation and maintenance activities. The LAMP elements include Automated People Mover, Consolidated Rental Car Facility, Intermodal Transportation Facilities, LAWA Utilities and LAMP Enabling Projects, terminal interfaces and roadway improvements.

The second position is the Deputy General Manager Airports II and this position will serve as the Managing Director of Media and Public Relations Division in developing, administering, and managing LAWA's public relations programs. This position will be responsible for developing, implementing, and providing strategic communications guidance for a broad set of audiences, especially those communities where local economies depend on the vitality of LAWA's airports including Van Nuys Airport (VNY); and will direct the Airport Police Division's Public Information program, oversee implementation of the LAX Capital Program communications agenda, and manage crises communications efforts at LAX and VNY.

After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee

moved to recommend approval of the exemption for the two positions as described in the March 9, 2018 communication from the Mayor and detailed in the above recommendation. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PERSONNEL AND ANIMAL WELFARE COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
KORETZ:	YES
HARRIS-DAWSON:	YES
ENGLANDER:	ABSENT

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