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Los Angeles City Council c/o Office of the City Clerk City Hall, Room 395 Los Angeles, California 90012

Attention: PLUM Committee

**Dear Honorable Members:** 

## PLUM COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION OF THE EMERGENCY SHELTER CODE AMENDMENT; CF 24-1587; CASE NO. CPC-2025-1648-CA; ENV-2025-1649-SE

On April 24, 2025 the City Planning Commission recommended approval of the Emergency Shelter Code Amendment without amendment. While there were two versions of the ordinance considered by the CPC, one for Chapter 1 and one for Chapter 1A of the Zoning Code, the CPC's action inadvertently resulted in a recommendation of adopting one ordinance instead of two separate ordinances. However, the CPC did expressly recommend all of the proposed provisions being amended in the two ordinances, and therefore, CPC did recommend all relevant Code amendments in the two ordinances. Therefore, the actions Los Angeles City Planning recommends the City Council take are below.

**Determine** the Proposed Code Amendment is not a "project" pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15378(b) and the project is exempt from CEQA under California Public Resources Code Section 21080(b)(4) and Government Code Section 8698.4(a)(4);

**Adopt** the proposed ordinance to amend the Chapter 1 Sections 12.80 and 12.81 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) and any related Code sections of Chapter 1;

**Adopt** the proposed ordinance to amend the Chapter 1A Sections 1.6.2 and 1.6.3 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) and any related Code sections of Chapter 1A;

Adopt the Staff Recommendation Report as the Commission's report on the subject; and

Adopt the attached Findings.

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Sincerely,

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