8/13/25 Council – Regular Meeting Agenda Closed Session

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that the Council ADOPT the following recommendations in order to effect settlement in the case entitled <u>Ligia Ramirez</u>, et al. v. City of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 21STCV08069. (This matter arises from a vehicle versus vehicle car accident on May 7, 2020, at Wilmington and East 108th Street.), **SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR**:

- 1. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney's Office to expend up to **\$895,000** in settlement of the above-entitled matter.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to transfer **\$895,000** from the Liability Claims Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009798, Miscellaneous Liability Payouts, to Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009792, Police Liability Payouts.
- 3. AUTHORIZE the City Attorney to draw a demand(s) from Fund No. 100/59, Account No. 009792, Police Liability Payouts, payable to: Mark H. Aprahamian, P.C. Client Trust Account in the amount of **\$895,000**, breakdown as follows:
 - a. **\$5,000** to Mark H. Aprahamian, P.C. and Sebastian Obregon, a minor by and through his GAL mother Cristina Ramirez.
 - b. \$140,000 to Mark H. Aprahamian, P.C. and Ligia Ramirez.
 - c. \$750,000 to Mark H. Aprahamian, P.C. and Cristina Ramirez.
- AUTHORIZE the City Attorney, or designee, to make necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer; and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

This matter was recommended for approval by the Budget and Finance Committee (Yaroslavsky – Blumenfield – McOsker – Hutt – Hernandez: "Yes"; Absent: x) at its meeting held on August 5, 2025, in Closed Session as permitted by Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1).

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