



Office of the Los Angeles City Attorney
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REPORT RE:

**DRAFT ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 10.37 OF THE LOS ANGELES
ADMINISTRATIVE CODE TO ENSURE THE LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE IS IN
COMPLIANCE WITH THE RECENT NINTH CIRCUIT DECISION *AIRLINES FOR
AMERICA v. COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO*, 78 F.4th 1146 (9TH Cir. 2023)**

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

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to your request, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration the enclosed draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality. The draft ordinance amends Section 10.37.6 of Article 11 of Chapter 1, Division 10 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to ensure the Living Wage Ordinance is in compliance with the recent Ninth Circuit decision, *Airlines for America v. City and County of San Francisco*, 78 F.4th 1146 (9th Cir. 2023).

Council Rule 38 Referral

A copy of the draft ordinance was sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Contract Administration with a request that all comments, if any, be presented directly to the City Council when this matter is considered.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Dania Minassian at (213) 978-7100. A member of this Office will be available when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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Transmittal