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REQUEST FOR CLOSED SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54956.9(d)(1)

REPORT RE:

STEWART ANNAND; MICHAEL DRAZ v. CITY OF LOS ANGELES
LASC CASE NO. 19STCV10077
(COUNCIL DISTRICT 4)

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

**Honorable Members:** 

This Office recommends that discussions with, and advice from, legal counsel regarding this pending litigation be scheduled and held in closed session pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1). Government Code Section 54956.9(g) requires you to state publicly, prior to the closed session, which division of that section authorizes the closed session, and that the closed session is being held to confer or discuss with, or receive advice from, legal counsel regarding pending litigation.

This is an inverse condemnation action in which Plaintiffs Stewart Annand and Michael Draz seek recovery for alleged damage to their properties at 8720 and 8730 Hollywood Blvd, Los Angeles, respectively, which suffered erosion damage in February of 2019.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Peter Walford at (213) 978-8226. He or another member of this Office will be available when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have

Sincerely,

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