COUNCIL REFERRAL

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

MEMORANDUM

-FRIDAY-AUGUST 11, 2006

OF COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER COUNCIL RULE NO. 16 AND MATTERS RECEIVED AND FILED UNDER COUNCIL RULE NO. 89

06-0002-S123

Communication from the Chief Legislative Analyst relative to the Resolution approving the League of California Cities' Annual Conference resolutions to be considered in San Diego on September 6-9, 2006: (1) debate on the resolutions, their process at the conference, the credentials committee, voting procedures and taking amendments on petitioned resolutions; (2) increase the number of alternate voting delegates from one to two; (3) promoting health and wellness in cities; and (4) sponsor legislation to authorize a city to impose vehicle forfeiture as a penalty for illegal speed contests.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

MOTIONS/RESOLUTIONS REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

06-0002-S126

(Padilla - Cardenas) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, that the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2006-07 State Legislative Program Support of AB 485 (Arambula) which could change the enterprise zone selection criteria to favor zones that have an effective economic development strategy and implementation plan.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-0002-S127

(Garcetti - Greuel, et al) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2005-2006 Federal Legislative Program opposition to S. 403 and H.R. 748, which would make it a crime for a person to help a teen cross state lines for an abortion unless the teen had already fulfilled the requirements of her home state's law restricting teenage abortions.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-0002-S128

(Garcetti - Greuel, et al) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2005-2006 State Legislative Program opposition to Proposition 85, which would amend the State Constitution to require health care providers to notify the parents of young women under the age of 18 before providing abortion services.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-0002-S130

(Padilla - Garcetti) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2006-07 State Legislative Program support for AB 2068 (Nava) which would: 1) provide for a continuation of employee rights to predesignate a personal physician for treatment of an industrial injury; 2) delete the 7 percent statewide cap on who can predesignate; 3) broaden the definition of personal physician; and 4) require the physician to agree to be the primary treating physician.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-1900

(Parks - Hahn) that the City Council request the City Attorney, the City Controller and the Executive Director of the Ethics Commission to brief the City Council on the impact of the U.S. Supreme Court's decision in the First Amendment matter under Docket Number 04-473, and advise on the legality of existing City policy within the context of this decision as well as measures that can be taken to protect City whistle-blowers.

To Personnel Committee

06-1896

(Weiss - Garcetti) that the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) and Los Angeles Fire Department report on how they are responding to the heightened terrorism threat; etc.

To Public Safety Committee

06-1897

(Zine - Weiss, et al) that the City Council instruct the Los Angeles Housing Department and General Services Department, in cooperation with the Departments of Planning, Building and Safety, and LAPD, as appropriate, to report back within 60 days regarding possible public-private sector partnership opportunities that might be undertaken to develop affordable housing opportunities in Los Angeles targeting sworn police personnel; and possible City-owned property parcels, surplus and otherwise, that might be suitable candidates for such development initiatives.

To Public Safety Committee
To Housing, Community & Economic Development Committee

05-1354-S1

CD 11

(Smith - Rosendahl - LaBonge) the City of Los Angeles calls upon the International Air Carriers to consider reestablishing regular air routes from Nagoya (Central Japan International Airport) to Los Angeles World Airport and regularized return routes.

To Trade, Commerce & Tourism Committee

06-1901

CD 15

(Hahn - LaBonge) that the Port of Los Angeles be requested to report on the status of their efforts to bring Berths 91 and 92 up to the same level of standard as Berth 93 in the hopes of attracting a greater number of cruise ships to the Port, which will provide a welcome cash infusion to the Harbor area; etc.

To Trade, Commerce & Tourism Committee