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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL
Oakland, California

President De La Fuente and Members of the City Council:

**Subject: City of Oakland v. The Judicial Group, Mario R. Juarez, et al.
Alameda County Superior Court Action No. RG06298582
City Attorney File No. X02764**

Pursuant to Section 401 of the Charter, the City Attorney has prepared a resolution authorizing and recommends settlement of the above-captioned matter, for the sum of Thirty-One Thousand, Nine Hundred Forty Two Dollars and No Cents (\$31,942.00), payable to Plaintiff City of Oakland.

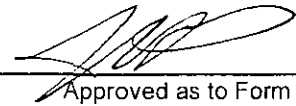
This action arises from defendants', The Judicial Group, Inc., and Mario R. Juarez, breach of a June 24, 2002 agreement with the City of Oakland for the collection of judgments. This matter was not a closed session item.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John A. Russo'.

JOHN A. RUSSO
City Attorney

Attorney Assigned:
Jannie L. Wong



Approved as to Form and Legality

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION No. _____ C.M.S.

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO COMPROMISE AND SETTLE THE CASE OF CITY OF OAKLAND v. THE JUDICIAL GROUP, INC., MARIO R. JUAREZ, ET AL., ALAMEDA COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. RG06298582, OUR FILE NO. X02764 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$31,942.00 (FINANCE AGENCY) AS A RESULT OF BREACH OF A CONTRACT RELATING TO THE ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGMENTS.

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland filed a lawsuit alleging that The Judicial Group, Inc. and Mario R. Juarez breached an agreement relating to the assignment of judgments for collection entered into with the City; made fraudulent representations and false claims relating thereto; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland agreed to accept the amount of Thirty-One Thousand, Nine Hundred Forty Two Dollars and No Cents (\$31,942.00), subject to approval of the Oakland City Council, as full settlement of its claims against Mario R. Juarez in this referenced action; it is hereby

RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of City of Oakland v. The Judicial Group, Inc., Mario R. Juarez, et al., City Attorney's File No. X02764, for the sum of Thirty-One Thousand, Nine Hundred Forty Two Dollars and No Cents (\$31,942.00); and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the City Attorney is further authorized and directed to take whatever steps as may be necessary to effect said settlement.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20__

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

- AYES- BRUNNER, KERNIHGAN, NADEL, REID, QUAN, BROOKS, CHANG and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE
- NOES-
- ABSENT-
- ABSTENTION-

ATTEST: _____
LATONDA SIMMONS
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California