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HONORABLE CITY COUNCIL Oakland, California

> Subject: Ronald Muhammed v. City of Oakland, et al. United States District Court Case No. C-04-3053-MJJ Our File No. 23902 (Oakland Police Department -Excessive Force)

President De La Fuente and Members of the City Council:

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 Seven Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$7,000.00) made payable to Ronald Muhammed and John L. Burris, Esq., his attorney of record.

This action arises from plaintiff's injuries on July 28, 2003 from an arrest and use of force by the Oakland Police Department. This matter was heard in closed session.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. RUSSO City Attorney

Attorney Assigned: Pelayo A. Llamas, Jr. 353321

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## 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 RONALD MUHAMMED v. CITY OF OAKLAND, ET AL., UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA CASE NO. C-04-3053-MJJ, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,000.00 AS A RESULT OF AN ARREST ON JULY 28, 2003 (OAKLAND POLICE DEPARTMENT – EXCESSIVE FORCE)

**RESOLVED:** That the City Attorney is authorized and directed to compromise and settle the case of Ronald Muhammed v. City of Oakland, et al., City Attorney's File No. 23902, for the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$7,000.00) made payable to Ronald Muhammed and John L. Burris, Esq., his attorney of record.

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

**FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$7,000.00) be made payable to Ronald Muhammed and John L. Burris, Esq., his attorney of record.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, KERNIGHAN, NADEL, QUAN, REID, AND PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST:

LATONDA SIMMONS City Clerk and Clerk of the Council of the City of Oakland, California