



# City of Oakland

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## Legislation Text

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Subject: Outside Counsel Contracts Report

From: Councilmember Desley Brooks

Recommendation: **Receive An Informational Report And Possible Action On How The City Attorney's Office Awarded In Excess Of Eight Million Dollars (\$8,000,000) In Outside Counsel Contracts Without Council Approval And/Or A Competitive Bid Process In Violation Of The City Charter And The City Of Oakland Purchasing Ordinance; Whether The Lack Of A Competitive Bid Process Created A Pay To Play Scheme In The Award Of Outside Counsel Contracts; And Establishing Processes And Procedures To Ensure The City Attorney's Office Complies With The Requirements Of The City Charter And The Purchasing Ordinance**