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MOTION NO. M99-61

[Civil judgments and settlements]

DIRECTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' BUDGET ANALYST TO PREPARE A
REPORT ON THE CITY'S CIVIL JUDGMENTS AND SETTLEMENTS EXPERIENCE.

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco is projected to have spent more than \$14 million in Fiscal Year 1998-99 to settle and pay out legal claims against City Departments and employees; and,

WHEREAS, The City Attorney maintains a litigation database containing pertinent information regarding actions which give rise to a claim, as well as total costs associated with it; and,

WHEREAS, The Risk Manager would like to actively manage and prevent similar claims from arising in the future as much as possible;

IT IS HEREBY MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors' Budget
Analyst is directed to prepare a report on aggregate civil judgments
and settlements incurred by the City in Fiscal Year 1998-99 and the
preceeding four years; and,

FURTHER MOVED, That the Budget Analyst include, but not limit the contents of such report to, an analysis of such claims, by department, by misfeasance and/or malfeasance which gave rise to a claim, and by total costs, including City Attorney hours billed; and

FURTHER MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby directs the Budget Analyst to give priority to such report.



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Motion directing the Board of Supervisors Budget Analyst to prepare a report on the City's civil judgments and settlements experience.

June 7, 1999 Board of Supervisors — APPROVED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Becerril, Bierman, Brown, Katz, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom,

Yaki, Yee

Absent: 1 - Teng

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion was APPROVED on June 7, 1999 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Jean Lum

Acting Clerk of the Board