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1	[Settlement of Lawsuit - Coinbase, Inc \$1,600,000]
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3	Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Coinbase, Inc. against the City
4	and County of San Francisco for \$1,600,000; the lawsuit was filed on January 10, 2025,
5	in San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-25-621382, entitled <i>Coinbase, Inc. v.</i>
6	City and County of San Francisco et al.; the lawsuit involves a refund of gross receipts,
7	homelessness gross receipts, and overpaid executive gross receipts taxes; other
8	material terms of the settlement relate to Coinbase Inc.'s filing position and tax liability
9	for the 2024 tax year.
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11	Be it ordained by the people of the City and County of San Francisco:
12	Section 1. Pursuant to Charter Section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby
13	authorizes the City Attorney to settle the action entitled Coinbase, Inc. v. City and County of
14	San Francisco et al., San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-25-621382 by payment of
15	\$1,600,000 and the parties' agreement relating to Coinbase, Inc.'s filing position and tax
16	liability for the 2024 tax year. The lawsuit involves a refund of gross receipts, homelessness
17	gross receipts, and overpaid executive gross receipts taxes.
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19	Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on
20	January 10, 2025, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiff Coinbase,
21	Inc., and defendants City and County of San Francisco, and Does 1 through 50.
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1	APPROVED AS TO FORM AND RECOMMENDED:	RECOMMENDED:
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3	DAVID CHIU City Attorney	Office of the Treasurer and Tax Collector
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5	/s/ Scott M. Reiber SCOTT M. REIBER	/s/ JOSÉ CISNEROS
6	Chief Tax Attorney	Treasurer
7	FUNDS AVAILABLE:	
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9	/s/ Michelle Allersma for Greg Wagner GREG WAGNER	
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