

1 [Settlement of Lawsuit - Virginia Ernster - \$70,000]

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3 **Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by Virginia Ernster against the**
4 **City and County of San Francisco for \$70,000; the lawsuit was filed on May 21, 2019, in**
5 **San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-19-576126; entitled Virginia Ernster and**
6 **Martin Ernster v. City and County of San Francisco, Cristina Couch; the lawsuit**
7 **involves an alleged personal injury from a vehicle collision.**

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9 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

10 Section 1. Pursuant to Charter, Section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby
11 authorizes the City Attorney to settle the action entitled Virginia Ernster and Martin Ernster v.
12 City and County of San Francisco, Cristina Couch, San Francisco Superior Court, Case No.
13 CGC-19-576126 by the payment of \$70,000. The lawsuit involves an alleged personal injury
14 from a vehicle collision.

15 Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on
16 May 21, 2019, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiffs: Virginia Ernster
17 and Martin Ernster, Defendants: City and County of San Francisco and Cristina Couch.

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SAN FRANCISCO FIRE DEPARTMENT

JEANINE R. NICHOLSON
Chief

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