Resolution approving an updated settlement authority for the unlitigated claim filed by Estate Research Associates against the City and County of San Francisco for \$82,465.14; the claim was filed on January 26, 2018; the claim involves damages allegedly arising from the failure to properly administer two estates; Resolution No. 389-18 previously approved settlement up to \$80,000.

[Settlement of Unlitigated Claim - Estate Research Associates - \$82,465,14]

WHEREAS, Estate Research Associates ("ERA") filed a claim on January 26, 2018, against the City and County of San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, The claim involves damages allegedly arising from the City's failure to properly administer two estates; and

WHEREAS, In Resolution No. 389-18, the Board of Supervisors previously authorized the City Attorney to settle the claim by payment up to \$80,000 based on estimated distributions by the Probate Court; and

WHEREAS, Actual distributions by the Probate Court increased the value of the claim to \$82,465.14; and

WHEREAS, As part of the settlement, ERA agrees to provide the City with a 60-day period to resolve future unclaimed estate disputes before Claimant files a Government Code claim; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That pursuant to Administrative Code, Section 10.22, the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the City Attorney to settle the claim by payment of \$82,465.14 to ERA.

1. APPROVED: RECOMMENDED: 2 DENNIS J. HERRERAS San Francisco Disability & Aging Services 3 City Attorney 4 SHIREEN MCSPADDEN MATTHEW J. ROTHSCHILD 5 Chief of Claims Division **Executive Director** 6 **FUNDS AVAILABLE:** APPROVED: 7 8 Controller Secretary 9 San Francisco Disability & Aging Services Commission 10 11 12 n:\claim\cl2019\18-01629\01413413.docx 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

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February 20, 2020 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

March 03, 2020 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 10 - Haney, Mandelman, Mar, Peskin, Preston, Ronen, Safai, Stefani, Walton and Yee Absent: 1 - Fewer

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 3/3/2020 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

> Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

London N. Breed Mayor Date Approved