RESOLUTION NO. 9129

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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VERNON AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 9089 BY AMENDING SECTION 9 OF SAID RESOLUTION WHICH FIXED THE COMPENSATION FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF SAID CITY AND AUTHORIZED CERTAIN EXPENSE ALLOWANCES

WHEREAS, on June 28, 2006, Resolution No. 9089 was adopted by the City Council of the City of Vernon to be effective on July 1, 2006 (the "Salary Resolution"); and

WHEREAS, Section 9 of the Salary Resolution established a longevity program for all employees, except police employees in Group 2, employed on or before June 30, 1994; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend Section 9 of the Salary Resolution by amending subsection f, deleting subsection g and renumbering the remaining subsections of Section 9 in order to combine the longevity provisions for the City Administrator with the longevity provisions for department heads.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VERNON AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The City Council of the City of Vernon hereby finds and determines that the recitals contained hereinabove are true and correct.

SECTION 2: The City Council of the City of Vernon hereby amends subsections f through j of Section 9 of the Salary Resolution as follows:

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f. Twenty-Five (25) Years of Service - City Administrator and Department Heads.

The City Administrator and all eligible department heads shall be eligible upon reaching twenty-five (25) years of consecutive uninterrupted service after October 15, 1995, to receive an additional twenty-five percent (25%) of their base salary per month upon reaching their 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary date and shall be entitled to said twenty-five percent (25%) per month upon said anniversary date and every year thereafter.

## g. Compensation Not Cumulative.

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Payment of the aforesaid longevity compensation shall not be cumulative and only the highest applicable longevity pay shall be paid.

h. Police Employees in Group 2 on or Before June 30, 1995.

The longevity program described in Section 9 will also apply to the police employees in Group 2 employed on or before June 30, 1995.

i. Employees Employed After June 30, 1994 and Exceptions Pertaining to Police Employees in Group

All employees, except police employees in Group 2, employed on or after July 1, 1994, and police employees in Group 2 employed on or after July 1, 1995, shall only be entitled to longevity benefits provided for in Section 10.

SECTION 3: The provisions of Resolution Nos. 9089, 9106 and 9120 not consistent with or in conflict with this resolution are hereby repealed; in all other respects, Resolution No. 9089, as amended by Resolution Nos. 9106 and 9120, shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 4: The Acting City Clerk of the City of Vernon shall certify to the passage of this resolution, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of September, 2006.

ATTEST:

BRUCE V. MALKENHORST, JR.

Acting City Clerk

Attachment F
CalPERS Exhibit 77



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August 17; 2006

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Reply to Section 115

Ms. Maria Aspinwall Attorney-at-Law Loeb & Loeb LLP 10100 Santa Monica Blvd, suite 200 Los Angeles, CA 90067

RE: B. Malkenhorst and the City of Vernon appeal

RES. 9129

Dear Ms. Aspinwall:

Thank you for your letter dated November 3, 2005, concerning the appeal for Bruce Malkenhorst and the City of Vernon (the City).

CalPERS has determined that setting differing levels of payrate or special compensation by date of hire may be allowed. Persons hired on or after a date certain may reasonably be considered to be similarly situated members of the group or class (which make up a "logical work related grouping") within the definition of group or class in section 20636(e)(1) of the Public Employees' Retirement Law (PERL).

Please note that while it may be permissible to use date of hire in creating a group or class, in order for items of payrate or special compensation to be considered in the calculation of final compensation, all other requirements set forth in the PERL and regulations of the Board must still be met. As a result, each case must be decided separately, based on its facts. In addition, any ruling of the Board on compensation as payrate or special compensation is conditioned on the facts as presented. In the event of changes in the facts, the Board's ruling may also be different.

Based on the description of the longevity, it appears that the date of hire qualification would satisfy the statutory definition of group or class and the compensation would be allowed.

However, we are requesting the City amend their Memorandum of Understanding to combine the longevity provisions for the City Administrator with the longevity provisions for the Department Heads. The City is also asked to provide us with a date that we can expect this to happen.

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The Benefits Division have been notified to make the adjustment to Mr. Malkenhorst's allowance.

Should you have any further questions regarding this matter please do not hesitate to contact our Compensation Review Unit at (888) 225-7377.

Sincerely,

Alinda Heringer, RPS II

Compensation Review Unit Employer Services Division

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## CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

## INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

DATE:

September 26, 2006

TO:

Sharon Duckworth, City Treasurer

Donal O'Callaghan, Director of Light & Power Lewis Pozzebon, Director of Environmental Health

Steve Towles, Police Captain

Martha Valenzuela, Director of Personnel/Purchasing Agent

Mark Whitworth, Fire Chief

Kevin Wilson, Director of Community Services & Water

FROM

Nelly Giron, Deputy City Clerk

RE:

Resolution No. 9129 - A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Vernon Amending Resolution No. 9089 By Amending Section 9 of Said Resolution Which Fixed the Compensation for Certain Employees of Said City and Authorized Certain

Expense Allowances

Transmitted herewith is a copy of Resolution No. 9129, referenced above, which was approved by City Council on September 20, 2006.

Thank you.

NG:dr

c: Kristen Enomoto
 Nelly Giron
 Jennifer McNabb

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