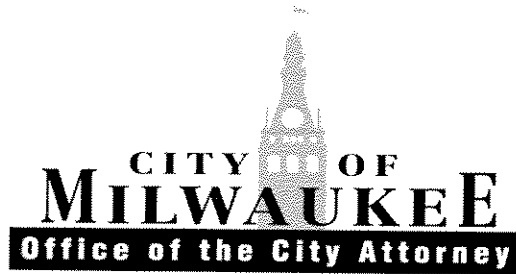


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February 23, 2007

To the Honorable Common Council
of the City of Milwaukee
Room 205 - City Hall

Re: Communication from Attorney Laurie Eggert, Eggert & Cermele
for legal fees for Police Officer Christopher Quinlan
C.I. Claim File No. 04-S-98; EC No. 2017; 03-44

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie A. Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officer Christopher Quinlan. The claim is in the amount of \$807.62, including \$4.62 in disbursements for 7.30 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110.00 per hour. We ask that this matter be introduced and referred to the Committee on Judiciary & Legislation.

We have reviewed this claim and advise that in our opinion, the time spent was reasonable. Legal representation was occasioned by the filing of a citizen's complaint against the officer with the Fire and Police Commission. The complaint was dismissed by the Commission.

As we have advised you under similar circumstances in the past, the Common Council has discretion to reject this claim or to pay it in whole or in part. Wis. Stat. § 895.35, *Bablitch and Bablitch v. Lincoln County*, 82 Wis. 2d 574 (1978).

Very truly yours,


GRANT F. LANGLEY
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Mr. Ronald D. Leonhardt
Milwaukee City Clerk
800 City Hall
200 East Wells Street
Milwaukee, WI 53202

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**RE: Citizen Complaint of Mr. Michael J. Komba
Against PO Christopher Quinlan
Complaint No.: 03-44
Date of Incident: July 26, 2003
EC No.: 2017**

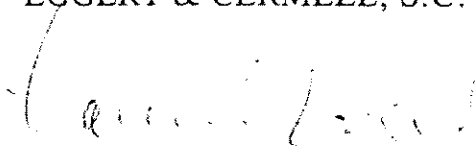
Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

The above-named police officer has retained us to represent him in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Consistent with its policy, the City Attorney's Office has refused to represent him, and as he was performing the duties of his office at the time of the events giving rise to the incident, the claim is hereby made on his behalf for the indicated legal fees. This incident involved a trespass investigation. The Fire and Police Commission dismissed the complaint. Attached is a copy of the dismissal notice and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT & CERMELE, S.C.


Laurie A. Eggert
Attorney at Law

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BOARD OF
FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS : CITY OF MILWAUKEE : COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE

In Re:
THE CHARGES OF MICHAEL KOMBA
AGAINST POLICE OFFICER CHRISTOPHER QUINLAN

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

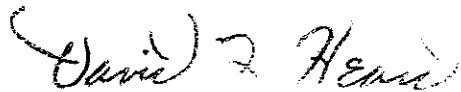
To Officer Christopher Quinlan:

It is hereby ordered that the Complaint of Michael Komba, Complaint No. 03-44, filed with the Board on August 4, 2003, is dismissed because the Complaint has been successfully conciliated, by the

MILWAUKEE BOARD OF
FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

ERIC MANDEL JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN

BY:



DAVID L. HEARD
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DATED AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, FEBRUARY 11, 2004.

✓c: Attorney Laurie Eggert

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RE: Citizen Complaint of Mr. Michael J. Komba
Against PO Christopher Quinlan
FPC No: 03-44
Date of Incident: July 26, 2003
Location of Incident: 15th and Wisconsin
Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
9/23/2003 Conference with client; open file; memo to file; correspondence to FPC; correspondence to MPD Open Records; review complaint.	1.80
9/25/2003 Telephone call to and from FPC.	0.10
10/7/2003 Review of correspondence from FPC; review of file.	0.20
10/29/2003 Telephone call from MPD Open Records; memo to file; review of file.	0.30
11/10/2003 Review documents from MPD Open Records.	0.30
11/17/2003 Telephone call to and from client; memo to file.	0.70
11/20/2003 Conference with and correspondence to Marquette Public Safety.	0.80
12/3/2003 Telephone call from FPC; memo to file; review of file.	0.30
12/17/2003 Review of correspondence from FPC; correspondence to client; memo to file.	0.30

	<u>Hours</u>	
1/14/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC.	0.10	
1/15/2004 Review of file.	0.20	
1/16/2004 Preparation for and appearance at conciliation; conference with client; memo to file; travel.	1.30	
2/6/2004 Review of file.	0.10	
2/13/2004 Review of file; telephone call to FPC; memo to file.	0.30	
2/18/2004 Review of correspondence from FPC; correspondence to clients; close file.	0.50	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	7.30	\$803.00
Additional charges:		
11/10/2001 MPD Open Records request		1.62
1/16/2004 Parking		3.00
		<u> </u>
Total costs		\$4.62
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Total amount of this bill		\$807.62
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Balance due		<u> </u> <u> </u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

APRIL 12, 2004

MEMORANDUM

TO: P.O. CHRISTOPHER QUINLAN
DISTRICT: THREE

RE: Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of
Attorney

Attorney Laurie Eggert has made a claim with the City, indicating
the attached was provided with legal services arising out of one of
the following situations:

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- 1) An incident occurring on JULY 26, 2003
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by MICHAEL KOMBA
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on N/A

Is this information correct? YES X NO

Did you receive legal representation
in this matter? YES X NO

Your signature: Christopher Quinlan
Print your name: CHRISTOPHER QUINLAN

Upon completion, please return this memorandum to the Internal
Affairs Division at the Police Academy (Room 325) as soon as possible.

Steven M. Settingsgaard
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INSPECTOR OF POLICE
Internal Affairs Division

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