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April 16, 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 Officers Rachel Nolan, Dereck Lemmie,

Kurt Lacina, Darren Gillum and Rochelle Gawain

C.I. File No. 04-S-267-3; EC No. 2047

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie A. Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officers Rachel Nolan, Dereck Lemmie, Kurt Lacina, Darren Gillum and Rochelle Gawain. The claim is in the amount of \$418.00 for 3.80 hours of service billed at the rate of \$110 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 a criminal investigation. A criminal investigation was initiated against the police officers on whose behalf this claim was filed, but they were ultimately not charged.

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/KANGLEY

City Attorney

JAN A. SMOKOWICZ Assistant City Attorney

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August 5, 2004

Mr. Ronald D. Leonhardt Milwaukee City Clerk 200 East Wells Street, Room 800 Milwaukee, WI 53202

RE: MPD Criminal Investigation of POs Rachel Nolan, Dereck Lemmie,

Kurt Lacina, Darren Gillum and Rochelle Gawain

Allegations Regarding Mr. Savanah Peake

Date of Incident: October 9, 2003

Location of Incident: 3131 North 34th Street

EC No.: 2047

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

The above-named police officers have retained us to represent them in connection with the above-referenced matter. Consistent with its policy, the City Attorney's Office has refused to represent them, and as they were performing the duties of their office at the time of the events giving rise to the incident, the claim is hereby made on their behalf for the indicated legal fees. This incident involved the pursuit of a stolen vehicle.

The MPD initiated a criminal investigation in which the officers initially declined to give a statement without counsel. When they requested counsel, IAD compelled POs Rachel Nolan, Dereck Lemmie, Kurt Lacina, Darren Gillum and Rochelle Gawain to give statements concerning the incident after issuing PI-21s. Later, the MPD concluded that no criminal charges would issue. Attached is a copy of a status report from Commander Settingsgaard of IAD, and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

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August 04, 2004

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RE: MPD Criminal Investigation re: Mr. Savanah Peake

Regarding: POs Rachel Nolan, Dereck Lemmie; Kurt Lacina, Darren

Gillum and Rochelle Gawain

Date of Incident: October 9, 2003

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Professional services

		Hours	
11/19/2003	Telephone call from PO Nolan regarding new criminal investigation; open file; memo to file; calendar PI-21.	0.80	
11/26/2003	Review of file; meeting with IAD; meeting with PO Nolan at IAD; attend PO Nolan's PI-21 statement; travel; memo to file.	2.20	
12/19/2003	Review of file; Fax to IAD.	0.20	
3/26/2004	Fax to Commander Settingsgaard.	0.20	
4/15/2004	Receive and review confirmation from Commander Settingsgaard that investigation had been cleared; correspondence to clients regarding same; close file.	0.40	
			Amount
	For professional services rendered	3.80	\$418.00
	Balance due		\$418.00



Police Department

Nannette H. Hegerty Chief of Police

Tuesday, April 13, 2004

Jonathan Cermele Attorney At Law 1840 North Farwell Avenue Suit 303 Milwaukee, WI 53202

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EGGERT & CERMELE, S.C.

Dear Mr. CERMELE:

This letter is in response to your inquiry of March 26, 2004, regarding the status of CIU Investigatory Files.

Attached please find the requested information. If further assistance is needed Lieutenant of Detectives Jeffery Micklitz can be contacted at 935-3540.

Sincerely,

STEVEN M. SETTINGSGÁARD

INSPECTOR

CIU	IAD	COMPLAINANT	ALLEGATION	DISPOSITION	
FILE NO.	FILE NO.				
1. 04-006		ZIOLKOWSKI, IRIS	MISCONDUCT	WARRANT REFUSED	
2. 03-286	03-1073	BROWN, DIONNE	BATTERY	PENDING	
3. 03-270	03-1032	PEAKE, SAVANNAH	THEFT	UNFOUNDED	
4. 03-241	03-0927	WRIGHT, COLEMAN	BATTERY / CDTP	UNFOUNDED	
5. 03-216	03-0833	McNEIL, BOBBY	THEFT / CDTP	CLOSED	

MEMORANDUM

AUGUST 19, 2004

TO: P.O. RACHEL NOLAN DISTRICT: SEVEN

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:

- 1) An incident occurring on OCTOBER 9, 2003
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by SAVANAH PEAKE
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on N/A

Is this information correct?

YES____NO___

Did you receive legal representation in this matter?

Your signature:

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

Steven M. Settingsgaard

Inspector of Police

Professional Performance Division

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AUGUST 19, 2004

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Steven M.Settingsgaard

Inspector of Police

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AUGUST 19, 2004

TO: P.O. KURT LACINA DISTRICT: SEVEN

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Steven M.Settingsgaard

Inspector of Police

Professional Performance Division

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MEMORANDUM

AUGUST 19, 2004

TO: P.O. DERONN GILLUM

DISTRICT: FIVE

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September 8, 2004

TO: P.O. ROCHELLE GAWIN DISTRICT: SEVEN

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Is this information correct?

YES____NO___

Did you receive legal representation in this matter?

YES 🔀 NO

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MARY K. HOERIG

Captain of Police

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