

CITY OF MILWAUKEE

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September 24, 2003

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

Re: Communication from Attorney D. Michael Guerin, Gimbel, Reilly, Guerin & Brown
for legal fees for Police Officer John M. Hagen

Dear Council Members:


Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney D. Michael Guerin for attorney's fees for representing Police Officer John M. Hagen. The claim is in the amount of \$396.00 for 3.20 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. No criminal charges were brought against the Police Officer on whose behalf this claim was filed.

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. Sec. 895.35, Stats., *Bablitch and Bablitch v. Lincoln County*, 82 Wis. 2d 574 (1978).

Very truly yours,


GRANT F. LANGLEY
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Date: 07/02/01

Detail Transaction File List
Gimbel, Reilly, Guerin & Brown

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Client	Date	Tmkr	E/A	H	T	B	R	Stmt #	Ctype	Amount		
			Cat	Src	P	X	C	Tcd	Rate	Hours		
200029106	09/19/00	3	1		A			22	110.00	0.40	44.00	Conference with Michael Sykes of internal affairs.
200029106	06/01/01	3	5		P			99	110.00	0.40	44.00	Telephone conference with client and Jon Reddin; set up appointment.
200029106	06/02/01	3	5		P			99	110.00	0.80	88.00	Research regarding preparation for DA meeting.
200029106	06/04/01	3	5		P			99	110.00	2.00	220.00	Conference with Jon Reddin and client.
Total for Fees									Billable	3.60	396.00	
									Total	3.60	396.00	
Grand Totals									Billable	3.60	396.00	
									Total	3.60	396.00	

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for Atty. D. Michael Guerin

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July 30, 2001
ACCOUNT NO. 200029106M
STATEMENT NO: 2

ATTN: Grant Langley

Criminal - Hagen, John M.

PREVIOUS BALANCE \$44.00

	HOURS	
06/01/01		
DMG Telephone conference with client and Jon Reddin; set up appointment.	0.40	
06/02/01		
DMG Research regarding preparation for DA meeting.	0.80	
06/04/01		
DMG Conference with Jon Reddin and client.	2.00	
FOR CURRENT SERVICES RENDERED	3.20	352.00

RECAPITULATION

<u>TIMEKEEPER</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>HOURS</u>	<u>HOURLY RATE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
D. M. Guerin		3.20	\$110.00	\$352.00

TOTAL CURRENT WORK 352.00

BALANCE DUE \$396.00

PLEASE RETURN ONE COPY OF THIS STATEMENT WITH YOUR PAYMENT.
THANK YOU!

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

SEPTEMBER 18, 2001

TO: LT. OF DETECTIVES JOHN HAGEN
SENSITIVE CRIMES

RE: Receipt of Legal Services from Law Firm of
Attorney

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

- 1) CONTACT WITH ATTORNEY IN JUNE 2001
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on

Is this information correct?

YES

NO

Did you receive legal representation
in this matter?

YES

NO

Your signature: *J.M. Hagen*

Print your name: JOHN MALLOY HAGEN

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

Steven M. Settingsgaard
STEVEN M. SETTINGSGAARD KTS
POLICE COMMANDER
Internal Affairs Division

DTS:dnp

December 18, 2002

ACA Jan Smokowicz
City Hall, Room 800
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Sir

Per your request, I looked into the Michael Guerin claim to the city regarding representation of MPD personnel.

Regarding Lt. of Detectives John Hagen, I talked to Detective Michael Sykes who stated that Hagen did have a conference with Jon Reddin and Michael Guerin. He also stated that he did speak with Attorney Guerin regarding the Hagen case.

Sincerely,

Arthur L. Jones
Chief of Police

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Det. Kurt J. Sutter". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath.

Kurt J. Sutter
Detective
Internal Affairs Division