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March 28, 2001

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

Re: **Communication from Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, Eggert Law Office, S.C.**
for legal fees for Police Officer Dennie Sanchez
C.I. File No. 00-S-13j

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officer Dennie Sanchez. The claim is in the amount of \$639.50, including \$1.50 in disbursements for 5.80 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 issuance of a municipal citation. The citation was dismissed.

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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Commander Dale Schunk
Milwaukee Police Department
Internal Affairs Division
6680 North Teutonia Avenue, Rm 325
Milwaukee, WI 09

Re: C.I. File No. 00-S-13
Communication from EGGERT LAW OFFICE

Dear Commander Schunk:

Enclosed please find a claim filed by attorney Laurie A. Eggert for Attorney's fees incurred during her representation of officers Fleming & Johnson, Halama, Fohr, Gastrow, Hodnett, Kane et al., Kavanaugh & Karwoski, Kelly & Kezeske, Maio, Narrai & Stojasvljevic, Raap, Sanchez, Simerlein, et al., Villagomez and Whiteside.

Please determine whether these officers were in fact involved in the matters described in Ms. Eggert's claim, and have these officers verify Ms. Eggert's representation. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

JAN A. SMOKOWICZ
Assistant City Attorney

JAS:beg
Enclosure

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00 FEB -9 PM 1:03
MILWAUKEE POLICE
INTERNAL AFFAIRS
DIVISION

EGGERT LAW OFFICE, S.C.

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RONALD D. LEONHARDT
CITY CLERK

January 12, 2000

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

**RE: On-Duty Traffic Incident
Regarding PO Dennie Sanchez
Date of Incident: September 21, 1999
Location of Incident: 5th and Butler Streets
ELO No.: 1370**

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 charge of inattentive driving. The MPD issued Sanchez a traffic citation which was dismissed by the municipal court. Attached is a copy of the dismissal notice.

The attached is an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,
EGGERT LAW OFFICE, S.C.
Laurie A. Eggert
Laurie A. Eggert
Attorney at Law

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RE: MPD Criminal Investigation - Traffic Violation
Regarding: PO Dennie Sanchez
Date of Incident: July 2, 1999
Location of Incident: 3rd and Beecher Streets

Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
7/6/99 Telephone call from client; office conference with witness; telephone call to client.	0.60
7/7/99 Office conference with client; open file; research re: emergency type vehicles; telephone call from client.	1.10
7/19/99 Telephone call from client.	0.20
7/20/99 Office conference with client; review of file.	0.60
8/23/99 Review of file; correspondence to client.	0.20
8/31/99 Telephone call from client.	0.10
9/20/99 Several telephone calls to and from client; review statute on emergency type vehicles; telephone call to city attorney; meeting with City Attorney Ehrlich at PAB; travel.	1.80

	<u>Hours</u>	
9/21/99 Telephone call from City Attorney Theis; telephone call to client.	0.60	
9/27/99 Receive and review dismissal paperwork from City Attorney Theis; receive and review Notice of Pre-trial; telephone call to City Attorney Theis confirming dismissal; telephone call to client; correspondence to client; close file.	0.60	
		<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	5.80	\$638.00
Additional charges:		
9/20/99 Parking		1.50
Total costs		<u>\$1.50</u>
Total amount of this bill		<u>\$639.50</u>
Balance due		<u><u>\$639.50</u></u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

Milwaukee Municipal Court

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09/22/99
10:40 am

Case Record and Judgment Docket

Page 1

Case #: 99124089 Name: SANCHEZ, DENNIE J

Date of Birth: 10/13/58

SANCHEZ, DENNIE J
245 W LINCOLN AVE
MILWAUKEE WI 53207

Citation #: Z3076776
Complainant: HANNA

KAY F

Offense Date & Time: 07/02/99 4:29 pm
Offense: 346.13(3) Wrong Way on One Way Street

Event: 09/03/99 9:53 pm Case Add
Branch: Judge:
Entry Clerk: PROCESSING, BATCH
Defendant in Court: No
Plea: No Plea By:

Adjournments

09/21/99 1:30 pm Branch: 2 Arraignment
Requested by: City of Milwaukee

Event: 09/21/99 8:49 am Court Room Event
Branch: 2 Judge: BUTLER, LOUIS B. Jr.
Entry Clerk: KAMOSKE, SANDRA
Defendant in Court: No
Defense Attorney in Court: No
Defense Attorney: Cermele, Jonathan
Plea: Not Guilty By: Defense Attorney

Arraignment

Adjournments

11/17/99 1:30 pm Branch: A Pre-Trial
Requested by: Defense Attorney

by mail, ltrs

Event: 09/21/99 11:10 am Court Room Event
Branch: 2 Judge: BUTLER, LOUIS B. Jr.
Entry Clerk: FALSON, CARMEN Prosecuting Attorney: THEIS, CHARLES R.
Defendant in Court: No

Arraignment

Judgments

- Found: Dismiss w/o prejudice On: 09/21/99
Fine Amount: \$0.00 Including Costs
Due On: 09/21/99

Comments

MOTION TO DISMISS BY ACA CHARLES THEIS; MOTION IN FILE;

Current Judgment Amount: 0.00 Balance Due: 0.00 Credits: 0.00

MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

FEBRUARY 16, 2000

TO: PO DENNIE SANCHEZ
DISTRICT TWO

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 SEPTEMBER 21, 1999
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by
- 3) A police shooting incident occurring on

See attachments

Is this information correct? YES _____ NO

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

Your signature: *PO Dennie Sanchez*
Print your name: DENNIE J. SANCHEZ

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

Dale T. Schunk
DALE T. SCHUNK *st*
Commander of Police
Internal Affairs Division

DTS:dnp