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September 11, 2007

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 Michael Slomczewski  
C.I. File No. 04-S-457 EC 2129

Dear Council Members:

Returned herewith is a document filed by Attorney Laurie A. Eggert for attorney's fees for representing Police Officer Michael Slomczewski. The claim is in the amount of \$990.00 for 9.00 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 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).

  
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Enc.

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MILWAUKEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

January 24, 2005

TO: P.O. MICHAEL SLOMCZEWSKI  
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 MAY 27, 2004
- 2) A citizen's complaint made by ANDREW REILLY
- 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: PO Michael Slomkowski

Print your name: Michael SLOMCZEWSKI

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

*Mary K. Hoerig*  
MARY K. HOERIG  
Captain of Police  
Professional Performance Division

MKH:kjs

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December 23, 2004

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

**RE: MPD Criminal Investigation of PO Michael Slomczewski  
Allegations Regarding Mr. Andrew Reilly  
Date of Incident: May 27, 2004  
Location of Incident: 1<sup>st</sup> and Becher  
EC No.: 2129**

Dear Mr. Leonhardt:

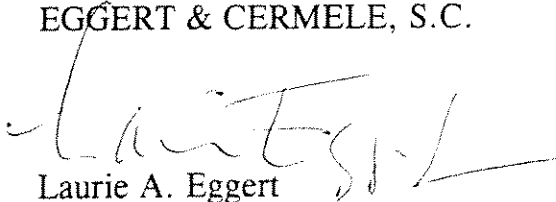
The above-named police officer has retained us to represent him in connection with the above-referenced matter.

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 vehicle pursuit.

DDA Reddin reviewed the matter and did not issue charges against the officers. Attached is a copy of DDA Reddin's letter and an itemization of the time and services rendered.

Sincerely,

EGGERT & CERMELE, S.C.

  
Laurie A. Eggert  
Attorney at Law

JC/ldl  
attachment  
SLOMCZEWSKI

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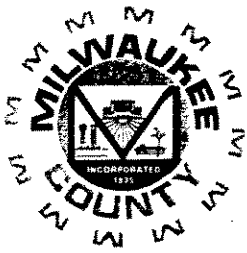
RE: MPD Criminal Investigation re: Mr. Andrew Reilly  
Regarding: PO Michael Slomczewski  
Date of Incident: May 27, 2004  
Location of Incident: 1st and Becher  
Professional services

	<u>Hours</u>
6/23/2004 Telephone calls from PO Slomczewski regarding new criminal investigation; open file; telephone call to IAD; memo to file.	1.30
6/24/2004 Telephone call to and from PO Slomczewski; memo to file.	0.40
6/30/2004 Review of file.	0.10
7/7/2004 Review of file; telephone call to PO Slomczewski.	0.20
7/10/2004 Intra-office conference.	0.10
7/12/2004 Telephone call to and from PO Slomczewski; memo to file.	0.20
7/21/2004 Office conference with PO Slomczewski; memo to file; telephone call from witness; memo to file; telephone call to and from IAD; telephone call to PO Slomczewski.	0.90
8/3/2004 Review of file.	0.20
8/4/2004 Telephone call from IAD.	0.20
8/16/2004 Review of file.	0.20

	<u>Hours</u>
8/24/2004 Telephone call to and from PO Slomczewski; telephone call to IAD.	0.40
8/27/2004 Review of file; travel to IAD; meeting with PO Slomczewski; attend PO Slomczewski's statement to IAD; return travel; memo to file.	1.50
9/8/2004 Telephone call from witness	0.20
9/14/2004 Telephone call from witness; telephone call to IAD.	0.30
Telephone call to IAD; telephone call to witness.*	0.30
9/17/2004 Review of file; travel to IAD; meet and attend witness' statement to IAD; return travel; memo to file.	2.10
10/26/2004 Review of correspondence from DDA Reddin confirming investigation was "no processed"; correspondence to client; close file.	0.40
	<u>Amount</u>
For professional services rendered	9.00     \$990.00
Balance due	<u>\$990.00</u>

(Rate: \$110.00 per hour)

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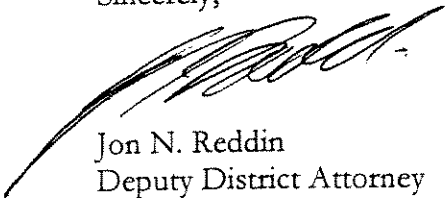
Mr. Jon Cermele  
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 1840 N. Farwell Ave., #303  
 Milwaukee, WI 53202-1716

Re: Incident No. 04-175-3051  
 Complainant: Andrew Riley  
 Officer(s): Michael Slomczewski

Dear Mr. Cermele:

This is to notify you that after reviewing the above incident involving City of Milwaukee Police Officer(s), I have determined that criminal charges will not be issued against them.

Sincerely,



Jon N. Reddin  
 Deputy District Attorney