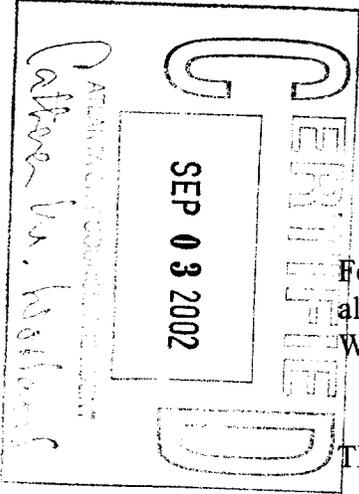


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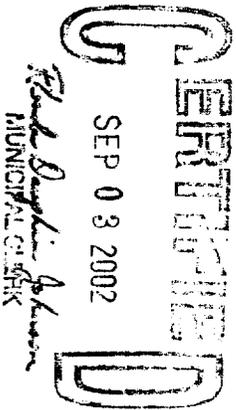
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through his attorney,
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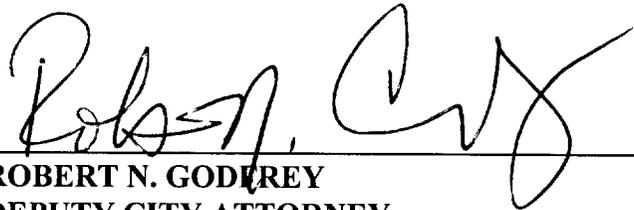
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For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of an altercation with and arrest by police on January 31, 2002 at 770 Wildwood Road, NE.

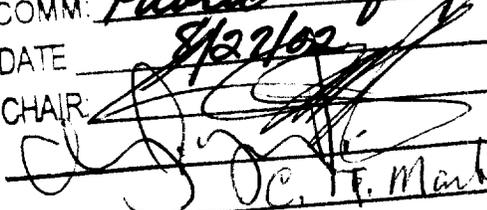
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BY: 
ROBERT N. GODFREY
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

ADVERSED BY
CITY COUNCIL SEP 03 2002

ADVERSE REPORT

COMM: *Public Safety*
DATE: *8/22/02*
CHAIR: 
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H. L. Smith
Carla Smith
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02-R-1428

RE: Joseph Joyce

Dear Attorney Atkins:

I sincerely regret that your client has been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in his/her claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your client's claim at its regular meeting on September 3, 2002. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 02L0514

Date: August 13, 2002

Claimant /Victim JOSEPH JOYCE

BY: (Atty) William J. Atkins

Address: 26th Floor, 75 14th Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30309

Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ Bodily Injury \$ **250,000.00**

Date of Notice: 07/22/02 Method: Written, proper X Improper

Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X

Date of Occurrence 01/31/02 Place: 770 Wildwood Road, NE

Department Police Division:

Employee involved T. L. Mulkey Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that he was assaulted and illegally arrested by police. The investigation found no wrongdoing on the part of the police officer in effecting the claimant's arrest. Furthermore, the City is immune from liability as set forth in O.C.G.A. §36-33-3.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee X Claimant Others Written Oral X

Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police X Dept Report Other

Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver

Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial

Improper Notice More than Six Months Other X Damages reasonable

City not involved Offer rejected Compromise settlement

Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. Repair/replacement by City Forces

Claimant Negligent City Negligent Joint Claim Abandoned

Respectfully submitted,


INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2J01 2H01 2P01

Claims Manager: Dianne C. Mitchell Concur/date 08-14-02

Committee Action: Council Action

RCS# 3953
9/03/02
1:47 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I Pgs. 1-14; Except 02-R-1137; 02-R-1458

ADOPT

YEAS: 14
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 1

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	Y Martin	Y Norwood
B Young	Y Shook	Y Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

CONSENT I

09/03/02 Council Meeting

**ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT
AGENDA****ITEMS ADVERSED
ON CONSENT AGENDA**

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| 1. 02-O-1455 | 43. 02-R-1492 | 59. 02-R-1418 |
| 2. 02-O-1456 | 44. 02-R-1347 | 60. 02-R-1419 |
| 3. 02-O-1457 | 45. 02-R-1461 | 61. 02-R-1420 |
| 4. 02-O-1460 | 46. 02-R-1462 | 62. 02-R-1421 |
| 5. 02-O-1454 | 47. 02-R-1471 | 63. 02-R-1422 |
| 6. 02-O-1336 | 48. 02-R-1484 | 64. 02-R-1423 |
| 7. 02-O-1337 | 49. 02-R-1486 | 65. 02-R-1424 |
| 8. 02-O-1339 | 50. 02-R-1363 | 66. 02-R-1425 |
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| 41. 02-R-1388 | | |
| 42. 02-R-1491 | | |

1st Consent I Vote: 14Yeas; 0 Nays (See RCS #3953)
Items Removed from Consent: 02-R-1137; 02-R-1458