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CL02L0667 - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

CLAIM OF: **ERNEST P. JONES,**
through his attorney,
Dustin S. Tapps
17 Executive Park Drive
Suite 310
Atlanta, Georgia 30329

02-R-1747

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of personal injuries on May 10, 2002 at the Socks Factory in Griffin, Georgia.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: *Rosalind Rubens Newell*
ROSALIND RUBENS NEWELL
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

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ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFETY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

DATE: *10/15/02*

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October 23, 2002

Dustin S. Tapps
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17 Executive Park Drive
Suite 310
Atlanta, GA 30329

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RE: Ernest P. Jones

Dear Attorney Tapps:

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 October 21, 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. 02L0667

Date: October 2, 2002

Claimant /Victim ERNEST P. JONES
BY: (Atty) Dustin S. Tapps
Address: 17 Executive Park Drive, Suite 310, Atlanta, Georgia 30329
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ Bodily Injury \$ Not Stated
Date of Notice: 09/18/02 Method: Written, proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 05/10/02 Place: The Socks Factory, Griffin, Georgia
Department Division: Sewer Operations
Employee involved Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: The claimant alleges that he was injured while exiting a bus owned by the Atlanta Housing Authority. The Atlanta Housing Authority is a separate legal entity from the City of Atlanta. The claimant has been advised to pursue his claim with the Atlanta Housing Authority.

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee Claimant Others Written Oral
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police Dept Report Other
Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental Ministerial
Improper Notice More than Six Months Other Damages reasonable
City not involved X 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:  Concur/date 10-22-02
Committee Action: Council Action

RCS# 4102
10/21/02
2:12 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

Pgs. 1-14; Except 02-o-1643; 02-O-1795
02-R-1803; 02-R-1729

ADOPT

YEAS: 12
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 4
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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

CONSENT I

10/21/02 Council Meeting

**ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT
AGENDA**

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**ITEMS ADVERSED
ON CONSENT AGENDA**

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61. 02-R-1759
62. 02-R-1366

Consent I Vote: 12 Yeas; 0 Nays (See RCS #4102)
Items Removed from Consent: 02-O-1643; 02-O-1795; 02-R-1803; 02-R-1729