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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

CLAIM OF: **GARY CULP RICHTER,**
through his insurance carrier,
State Farm Insurance Companies
11350 Johns Creek Parkway
Duluth, Georgia 30098-0001

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a vehicular accident on August 13, 2002 at 1820 Ponce de Leon Avenue.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

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BY: _____
JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

Adversed By
Council 5-19-03

ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFTEY &
LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE
DATE: 5/13/03
CHAIR:
C. T. Martin

OFFICE OF MUNICIPAL CLERK

RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON, CMC
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May 27, 2003

State Farm Insurance Companies
Insurance carrier
Attn: Livy Raiano
11350 Johns Creek Parkway
Duluth, GA 30098-0001

03-R-0741

RE: Gary Culp Richter

Dear Ms. Raiano:

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 May 19, 2003. 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

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. **03L0247** Date: April 29, 2003

Claimant /Victim **GARY CULP RICHTER**
BY: (Ins. Co.) State Farm Insurance Companies
Address: 11350 Johns Creek Parkway, Duluth, Georgia 30098-0001
Subrogation: X Claim for Property damage $ **1,414.73** Bodily Injury $ _____
Date of Notice: 03/24/03 Method: Written, proper X Improper _____
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 08/13/02 Place: 1820 Ponce de Leon Avenue
Department **Fire** Division: _____
Employee involved Juan Harvey Disciplinary Action: No Action Taken

NATURE OF CLAIM: The driver of the City vehicle struck the claimant's vehicle that was stopped in the roadway due to having been involved in another accident, and as the driver of the City vehicle attempted to go around the claimant's vehicle he struck same in an attempt to avoid a third vehicle that was improperly passing on the right. However, this claim was settled directly with the claimant on January 22, 2003 and the claimant's insurance carrier has been so advised (see Claim Number 02L0805).

INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee _____ Claimant _____ Others _____ Written _____ Oral _____
Pictures _____ Diagrams _____ Reports: Police X Dept Report X 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 X Joint _____ Claim Abandoned _____

Respectfully submitted,

INVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay $ _____ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 _____ 2J01 _____ 2H01 _____ 2P01 _____
Claims Manager: _____ Concur/date 04-30-03
Committee Action: _____ Council Action _____

FORM 23-61

RCS# 4717
5/19/03
2:39 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

Pgs. 1-14 Except:03-O-0456; 03-R-0598
03-R-0703; 03-R-0773; 03-R-0788
Adopt

YEAS:	13
NAYS:	0
ABSTENTIONS:	0
NOT VOTING:	1
EXCUSED:	0
ABSENT	2

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

5/19/03 FULL COUNCIL MEETING

Items Adopted on the Consent Agenda

1. 03-O-0601
2. 03-O-0551
3. 03-O-0552
4. 03-O-0600
5. 03-O-0554
6. 03-O-0617
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12. 03-O-0759
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Consent I Vote: 13Yeas; 0 Nays: (See RCS #4717)

Items Removed from the Consent Agenda: 03-O-0456; 03-R-0598; 03-R-0703; 03-R-0773; 03-R-0788