



**CITY CLERK'S CERTIFICATION THAT
THERE ARE SUFFICIENT SIGNATURES
ON A REFERENDUM PETITION**

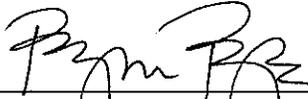
I, Byron Pope, City Clerk of the City of Beverly Hills, do hereby certify pursuant to Section 9240, Elections Code of the State of California, to the following facts relating to the Referendum Against An Ordinance Passed by the City Council (Resolution No. 08-R-12601).

On May 29, 2008, a Referendum Petition was filed with the City by Larry Larson representing the Citizens Right to Decide Committee. Further, on May 19, 2008, the County of Los Angeles, Registrar-Recorder's Office confirmed to the Secretary of State that there are 20,747 registered voters in the City of Beverly Hills. The petition must have a minimum of 2,075 signatures (10% of the registered voters in the City) to qualify for filing. The petition was circulated for signatures between the period April 30, 2008 and May 29, 2008.

Pursuant to Section 9240, Elections Code of the State of California, the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder, at the request of the City Clerk, has examined the petition and determined that the petition is signed by not less than 10 percent of the registered voters of the City. The total number of signatures on the petition is 3,092; the number of valid signatures on the petition is 2,574; the number of signatures which were disqualified is 468; and the number of signatures that were rescinded is 50.

Accordingly, Section 9241, Elections Code of the State of California, allows one of the following courses of action to be taken by the City Council:

1. Entirely repeal the resolution against which the petition is filed;
2. Submit the matter to the voters, either at a special election called not less than 88 days after the order of the legislative body for the purpose, or request consolidation with Los Angeles County for the statewide General Election on November 4, 2008 or at the next regular municipal election on March 3, 2009.


BYRON POPE, CMC CITY CLERK

Dated: July 8, 2008