

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, each political subdivision of the State of Nevada is required, by NRS 41.0339 and 41.0349, respectively, to provide a defense for any of its officers or employees against whom any civil action is brought that is based upon an alleged act or omission which relates to the public duties of that officer or employee and to indemnify him against any judgment which may be entered against him in such action; and

WHEREAS, certain of the Judges of the Las Vegas Municipal Court have questioned whether or not they technically qualify as "officers" or "employees" of the City of Las Vegas, and, in turn, whether or not they are entitled to such defense and indemnification, notwithstanding the fact that Section 1.140 of the City Charter of said City declares said Municipal Judges to be officers of said City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of said City considers said Municipal Judges to be officers of said City and desires, by this Resolution, to commit said City to providing a defense for any of its Municipal Judges against whom any civil action is brought that is based upon an alleged act or omission which relates to his public duties and to indemnifying him against any judgment which is entered against him in such action, to the same force and effect that it is required to provide a defense for, and an indemnification of, its other officers and employees by virtue of NRS 41.0339 and 41.0349, respectively;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Las Vegas, at this regular meeting thereof which is held on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, 1986, that said City be, and it hereby is, firmly committed to providing its Municipal Judges with the defense and indemnification which is provided for in NRS 41.0339 and 41.0349, respectively, subject to such



1 limitations as are contained therein, to the same force and
2 effect that it is required by said statutory provisions to
3 provide a defense for, and an indemnification of, its other
4 officers and employees.

5 PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this 5th day of March,
6 1986.

7 APPROVED:

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9 By William H. Briare
10 WILLIAM H. BRIARE, MAYOR

11 ATTEST:

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13 Carol Ann Hawley
14 Carol Ann Hawley, City Clerk

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