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April 2, 2008

Hon. Dave Jones, Chair Assembly Judiciary Committee State Capitol, Room 3146 Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 3052 (Assembly Judiciary Committee), as introduced - Sponsor

Hearing: Assembly Judiciary Committee - April 15, 2008

Dear Assembly Member Jones:

The Judicial Council is sponsoring AB 3052, which standardizes the procedures for proposing a new courthouse construction project utilizing Performance Based Infrastructure (PBI).

The Administrative Office of the Courts has developed PBI as an alternative project delivery method in order to deliver select new courthouse facilities projects in a cost-effective, efficient manner. The 2007 Budget Act, in conjunction with (SB 77 (Ducheny), Stats. 2007, ch.171), authorized the Judicial Council to utilize PBI to delivery a new Long Beach Courthouse facility. To date, the Administrative Office of the Courts has work collaboratively with local officials and the private sector to further develop the project. The Department of Finance is expected to complete a favorable review of the performance expectations and benchmark criteria for the project before the end of the month.

Looking forward, the Judicial Council anticipates the transfer of all trial court facilities to state responsibility by December 31, 2009 and has approved a Five-Year Infrastructure Plan to address statewide court facility needs. The Five-Year Infrastructure Plan includes 92 new construction projects to replace obsolete courthouses. Assembly Bill 3052 provides Judicial Council with the authority and procedure for gathering necessary data for determining which of

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the 92 new construction projects would benefit from the usage of PBI, as an alternative delivery method.

For this reason, the Judicial Council request your "aye" vote on AB 3052.

Please contact me at 916-323-3121 or janus.norman@jud.ca.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Janus Norman

Senior Governmental Affairs Analyst

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cc:

Members, Assembly Judiciary Committee

Mr. Drew Liebert, Chief Counsel, Assembly Judiciary Committee

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Mr. Mike Petersen, Consultant, Senate Republican Office of Policy

Mr. Mark Redmond, Senior Consultant, Assembly Republican Office of Policy



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April 22, 2008

Hon. Mark Leno, Chair Assembly Appropriations Committee State Capitol, Room 2114 Sacramento, California 95814

Subject:

AB 3052 (Assembly Judiciary Committee), as introduced - Sponsor

Hearing:

Assembly Appropriations Committee

Dear Assembly Member Leno:

The Judicial Council is sponsoring AB 3052 which standardizes the procedures for proposing a new courthouse construction project utilizing Performance Based Infrastructure (PBI).

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Members, Assembly Appropriations Committee

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May 23, 2008

Hon. Ellen M. Corbett, Chair Senate Judiciary Committee State Capitol, Room 3092 Sacramento, California 95814

Subject:

AB 3052 (Assembly Judiciary Committee), as introduced - Sponsor

Hearing:

Senate Judiciary Committee – June 10, 2008

Dear Senator Corbett:

The Judicial Council is sponsoring AB 3052, which standardizes the procedures for proposing a new courthouse construction project utilizing Performance Based Infrastructure (PBI).

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September 2, 2008

Hon. Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor of California State Capitol, First Floor Sacramento, California 95814

Subject: AB 3052 (Jones) – Request for Signature

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The Judicial Council is sponsoring AB 3052, which standardizes the procedures for proposing a new courthouse construction project utilizing Performance Based Infrastructure (PBI).

The Administrative Office of the Courts has developed PBI as an alternative project delivery method in order to deliver select new courthouse facilities projects in a cost-effective, efficient manner. The 2007 Budget Act, in conjunction with (SB 77 (Ducheny), Stats. 2007, ch.171), authorized the Judicial Council to utilize PBI to delivery a new Long Beach Courthouse facility. The Department of Finance completed a favorable review of the performance expectations and benchmarks for the project on April 1, 2008. The Joint Legislative Budget Committee authorized the Administrative Office of the Courts of to release the initial solicitation documents on August 13, 2008.

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