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Office of the City Attorney

Memorandum

DATE: February 19, 2026

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council

FROM: Dawn McIntosh, City Attorney

SUBJECT: Procedural Victory in *Perdomo v. Noem*

Today we received some good news - we learned that Judge Frimpong has denied the Federal Government's request to dismiss the complaint in intervention filed by Long Beach along with other cities in the Los Angeles area in the matter of *Perdomo v. Noem*. As you know, our complaint in intervention seeks to stop the roving patrols by ICE agents in our communities. The court also denied the Federal Government's motion to dismiss the main complaint filed by plaintiffs. We will now proceed with the case on the merits. Please feel free to reach out to me or Deputy City Attorney Nicholas Masero if you have any questions.

cc: Tom Modica, City Manager
April Walker, Assistant City Manager
Wally Hebeish, Chief of Police
Kevin Lee, Public Affairs Officer

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