

AUTHORITY CONTAINED DETENTION OF THE LAW FIRM

HOGAN & HARTSON, L.L.P.

THE GENERAL COUNSEL REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Continued retention of the law firm Hogan & Hartson

DESCRIPTION: The General Counsel has continued retention of the law firm Hogan & Hartson. The firm and its principal, Maree Speed, continue to assist the General Counsel in desegregation consent decree issues. In addition, the firm is assisting in the implementation of the desegregation consent decree. Additional authorization for the firm's services is requested in the amount of \$60,000. As invoices are received, they will be reviewed by the General Counsel and, if satisfactory, processed for payment.

USC approval is not applicable to this report.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: None.

REVIEW

AFFIRMATION

Approved: _____ Date: _____