Legal Services Corporation Meeting of the Finance Committee Open Session Sunday, April 15, 2012

DRAFT MINUTES

Chairman Robert J. Grey, Jr. convened an *open session* meeting of the Legal Services Corporation's ("LSC") Finance Committee ("the Committee") at 3:38 p.m. on Sunday, April 15, 2012. The meeting was held at the F. William McCalpin Conference Center, Legal Services Corporation Headquarters, 3333 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20007.

The following Committee members were present:

Robert J. Grey, Jr., Chairman Sharon L. Browne Martha L. Minow Father Pius Pietrzyk Robert E. Henley, Jr. John G. Levi, *ex officio*

Other Board Members Present: Charles N.W. Keckler Laurie Mikva Julie A. Reiskin Gloria Valencia-Weber

Also attending were:

James J. Sandman President

Richard Sloane Chief of Staff and Special Assistant to the President

Rebecca Fertig Special Assistant to the President Kathleen McNamara Executive Assistant to the President

Victor M. Fortuno Vice President for Legal Affairs, General Counsel, and Corporate

Secretary

Katherine Ward Executive Assistant, Office of Legal Affairs (OLA)

David Richardson Comptroller and Treasurer

Jeffrey E. Schanz Inspector General

Laurie Tarantowicz Assistant Inspector General and Legal Counsel, Office of Inspector

General (OIG)

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David Maddox Assistant Inspector General for Management and Evaluation, OIG

Carol Bergman Director, Office of Government Relations and Public Affairs

(GRPA)

Carl Rauscher Director of Media Relations, GRPA
Elizabeth Arledge Communications Manager, GRPA

Treefa Aziz Government Affairs Representative, GRPA

John Constance Former Director, GRPA

Tom Smegal Friends of LSC and Non-Director Member of the LSC Institutional

Advancement Committee

Chuck Greenfield National Legal Aid and Defender Association (NLADA)

Robert Stein American Bar Association's (ABA) Standing Committee on Legal

Aid and Indigent Defendants (SCLAID)

Terry Brooks SCLAID
Julie Strandlie ABA

The following summarizes actions taken by, and presentations made to, the Committee:

Chairman Grey called the *open session* meeting to order.

MOTION

Father Pius moved to approve the agenda. Dean Minow seconded the motion.

VOTE

The motion passed by voice vote.

MOTION

Dean Minow moved to approve the minutes of the Committee's January 20, 2012 meeting. Father Pius seconded the motion.

VOTE

The motion passed by voice vote.

Mr. Richardson presented the revised consolidated operating budget for fiscal year 2012 and the corresponding resolution for recommendation to the Board. He answered Board members' questions. Mr. Schanz, Inspector General, and Mr. Maddox, Assistant Inspector

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General for Management and Evaluation, provided details with respect to the Office of Inspector

General's budget and operation.

MOTION

Father Pius moved to recommend to the Board that it adopt the resolution approving the

revised consolidated operating budget for fiscal year 2012, as amended by Ms. Browne. Ms.

Browne seconded the motion.

VOTE

The motion passed by voice vote.

Mr. Richardson then presented LSC's financial reports for the first five months of FY

2012 and was followed by Ms. Bergman who gave a report on the appropriations process for

fiscal year 2013. Next, the Committee discussed with LSC management the process and

timetable for fiscal year 2014 budget request.

Chairman Grey invited public comment and received none. There was no new business

to consider.

MOTION

Father Pius moved to adjourn the meeting. Dean Minow seconded the motion.

VOTE

The motion passed by voice vote.

The *open session* meeting of the Committee adjourned at 4:20 p.m.

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