FILE NO. 180027

ORDINANCE NO. 41-18

[Settlement of Lawsuit - David Zeller (Deceased) - \$290,000]

Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by David Zeller against the City and County of San Francisco for \$290,000; the lawsuit was filed on March 14, 2013, in San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-13-529554; entitled <u>David Zeller v. San</u> <u>Francisco General Hospital, et al.</u>; the lawsuit involves alleged medical malpractice; other terms of the settlement are UC Regents to pay \$200,245 and upon approval by the probate court and Plaintiff's acceptance of the probate court's allocation of funds, California Department of Health Care Services to disgorge \$65,300 paid for MediCal lien to be paid to plaintiff.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. Pursuant to Charter section 6.102(5), the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the City Attorney to settle the action entitled <u>David Zeller v. San Francisco General</u> <u>Hospital, et al.</u>, San Francisco Superior, Case No. CGC-13-529554 by the payment of \$290,000 and UC Regents to pay \$200,245 and upon approval by the probate court and Plaintiff's acceptance of the probate court's allocation of funds, California Department of Health Care Services to disgorge \$65,300 paid for MediCal lien to be paid to plaintiff. The lawsuit involves alleged medical malpractice.

Section 2. The above-named action was filed in San Francisco Superior Court on March 14, 2013, and the following parties were named in the lawsuit: Plaintiffs: David Zeller, Michael T. McCowan, as Personal Representative of the Estate of David Zeller, Deceased; Defendants: City and County of San Francisco and Regents of the University of California.

City Attorney BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

1	APPROVED AS TO FORM AND RECOMMENDED:	RECOMMENDED:
2		
3	DENNIS J. HERRERA City Attorney	
4	agcherte	(3)
5	Cheryl Adams Chief Trial Attorney	BARBARA A. GARCIA Director
6	FUNDS AVAILABLE:	APPROVED:
7		
8	BEN ROSENFIELD	MARK MOREWITZ
9	Controller	Secretary, Health Commission
10		
11	n:\lit\li2015\130977\01210467.doc	
12		
13		
14		,
15		
16		
17		
18		
19		
20	,	
21		
22	s	
23		
24		
25		

City Attorney BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Page 2



City and County of San Francisco Tails Ordinance

City Hall 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place San Francisco, CA 94102-4689

File Number: 180027

Date Passed: February 27, 2018

Ordinance authorizing settlement of the lawsuit filed by David Zeller against the City and County of San Francisco for \$290,000; the lawsuit was filed on March 14, 2013, in San Francisco Superior Court, Case No. CGC-13-529554; entitled David Zeller v. San Francisco General Hospital, et al.; the lawsuit involves alleged medical malpractice; other terms of the settlement are UC Regents to pay \$200,245 and upon approval by the probate court and Plaintiff's acceptance of the probate court's allocation of funds, California Department of Health Care Services to disgorge \$65,300 paid for MediCal lien to be paid to plaintiff.

February 07, 2018 Government Audit and Oversight Committee - RECOMMENDED

February 13, 2018 Board of Supervisors - PASSED ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 11 - Breed, Cohen, Fewer, Kim, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Sheehy, Stefani, Tang and Yee

February 27, 2018 Board of Supervisors - FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 10 - Breed, Cohen, Fewer, Kim, Peskin, Ronen, Safai, Sheehy, Stefani and Yee Excused: 1 - Tang

File No. 180027

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was FINALLY PASSED on 2/27/2018 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo Clerk of the Board

Ven

Mark E. Farrell Mayor

Date Approved