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2842 MOTION NO.

A MOTION authorizing the County Executive to implement cost-of-living increases or salary adjustments for King County employees, not represented by labor organizations, effective January 1, 1977.

WHEREAS, the cost-of-living increase in the Seattle area is recognized to be 5.1% for the past year, and

WHEREAS, the nonrepresented King County employees have received no cost-of-living increase since January 1, 1976, and

WHEREAS, certain employee represented groups by Ordinance No. 2780, as amended, have received cost-of-living increases effective January 1, 1977, based on Council approval of multiyear labor agreements, and

WHEREAS, salary increases in the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney and the legislative branch reflect salary adjustments deemed appropriate by the respective elected officials, rather than across-the-board cost-of-living increases, and

WHEREAS, the intent of the Council is not to grant authority to the Executive to implement cost-of-living or salary adjustments to represented employee groups, whose collective bargaining agreements are currently being negotiated, until said agreements are approved by ordinance,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED that the Council of King County:

The County Executive is authorized and directed to implement a 5.1% cost-of-living increase and salary adjustment for nonrepresented county employees, effective January 1, 1977; PROVIDED THAT salary adjustment for nonrepresented employees of the Office of the Prosecuting Attorney and the Legislative Branch shall not be emplemented without the approval of respective elected officials.

PASSED this /Oth day of

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON