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ATTEST:

MOTION NO. 7465

A MOTION authorizing expenditure of funds for an office automation project.

WHEREAS, central staff and the auditors office are using a word processing system acquired in 1980, and

WHEREAS, tremendous strides have been made in office automation technology in the intervening years, and

WHEREAS, current technology offers opportunities for improved productivity both short term and long range, and

WHEREAS, the system choices available in the marketplace have multiplied, and

WHEREAS, the assistance of a consultant familiar with the current technology will help insure the choice of an optimum system to accommodate projected as well as current needs, and

WHEREAS, the participation of Systems Services in the proposed project will provide experience transferable to future projects in other county agencies, and

WHEREAS, four proposals were received in an open, competitive process, and

WHEREAS, an evaluation committee reviewed the proposals, and WHEREAS, Motion 6171 requires that consultant contracts above \$10,000 be approved by a majority of the Council;

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

The council administrator is authorized to expend up to \$ 27,920 plus consultant expenses for a contract for an office automation consultant to assist in selecting a system to be used by the Council, central staff and the auditors office.

PASSED this 13th day of much, 1989.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY WASHINGTON

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