## 10684

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## MOTION NO. 10684

A MOTION authorizing the chair of the council to extend the current contract with The Advocacy Group for services to represent the county during the 1999 Washington State legislative interim and the year 2000 legislative session.

WHEREAS, the county is a subdivision of the state of Washington, and WHEREAS, as a result, the county's services, operations and finances are to a significant extent controlled by the laws of the state, and

WHEREAS, legislation which has been signed into law during the 1999 Washington state legislative session will impact the county's services, operations and finances, and

WHEREAS, it is important the county uses the 1999 legislative interim to build on legislative gains made during the 1999 Washington state legislative session and look ahead to next year's legislative session, and

WHEREAS, The Advocacy Group, which the council selected to represent the county during the 1999 Washington state legislative session, exceeded the performance

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16 17 criteria stated in the contract, and was a big factor in the success King County had throughout the 1999 Washington state legislative session, and

WHEREAS, the metropolitan King County council has the authority to renew the contract with a legislative consultant annually for an additional two years;

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

The chair of the metropolitan King County council is authorized to extend the contract of The Advocacy Group, through May 31, 2000, in an amount not to exceed ninety thousand dollars, for services of monitoring new legislation, and to be an advocate on the county's behalf on all issues, including, but not limited to, growth management, water and sewer, and threatened and endangered species, during the 1999 legislative interim and the year 2000 Washington state legislative session.

PASSED by a vote of 13 to 0 this 24th day of May, 1999.

KING COUNTY COUNCIL KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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ATTEST:

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Attachments: Contract Amendment, Original Contract