



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
ANTONIO R. VILLARAIGOSA

August 17, 2009

Eric Spillman
KTLA 5 Reporter
5800 Sunset Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90028

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Dear Mr. Spillman:

I write in response to your request for public documents under the California Public Records Act (CPRA) concerning the Mayor's recent trip to Iceland.

At this time, please be advised that the Office of the Mayor is in possession of one public document that is responsive to your request, but exempt under the CPRA. Specifically, the responsive public record is an exempt communication under Section 6255 given that it would reveal the Mayor's deliberative decision-making processes. Section 6255 further permits nondisclosure because the public interest served by not disclosing the record clearly outweighs the public interest served by its disclosure.

Sincerely yours,

Gabriel Sandoval
Deputy Counsel to the Mayor

cc: Thomas Saenz, Counsel to the Mayor
Thomas Nakanishi, Office of the Counsel to the Mayor
Janelle Erickson, Deputy Mayor for Communications

