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Cc: Esther Kornfeld <Esther@robertsilversteinlaw.com>

Subject: Re: Mill-00Correction Requested for Administrative Record Public Comments Section of Hollywood Project Center DEIR; Case

No. ENV-2018-2116-EIR; SCH No. 2018051002

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Dear Ms. Nguyen:

Please include this communication in the Administrative Record for this matter.

The letters that have been submitted under or with cover emails of this office clearly state "The Silverstein Law Firm" in the letterheads. It is confusing and improper that you would label them in the running Administrative Record with my assistant Veronica's individual name instead of this firm's name or my name as author of the letter. The emails are cover emails for the actual submitted letter.

If the City insists on mislabeling documents based on a cover email, then you should at least label the cover email and the separate letter or document, respectively, with the names of their senders. Even OPR made a distinction between a cover email and the letter attached to it by using the name on the letterhead when labeling comments for the ELDP application for this project. Veronica of our office was the one that sent the letters via email, but they accurately labeled them "Silverstein Law Firm" in the list of comment letters. Are we to understand that the LA City Planning Department is not capable of accurately and correctly labeling documents like a state agency does?

We ask that you correctly label the letters listed in the running Administrative Record for this matter. This includes the letters we have submitted and those submitted by any other community group or agency whose names you have hidden by only including the sender's name, e.g. "A. Iles" instead of Hollywood Dell Civic Association, or "G. Skarpalous" instead of Hollywood United Neighborhood Council.

Please advise when you have corrected this disregard for transparency to the public and keeping an accurate record.

Robert P. Silverstein, Esq. The Silverstein Law Firm, APC 215 North Marengo Avenue, 3rd Floor

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**CC:** Esther Kornfeld < Esther@robertsilversteinlaw.com >, Robert Silverstein

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**Date:** 5/4/2020 12:16 PM

Subject: Re: Mill-00Correction Requested for Administrative Record Public Comments Section of Hollywood

Project Center DEIR; Case No. ENV-2018-2116-EIR; SCH No. 2018051002

Hi Veronica,

Thank you for your email. As with the others, your comments have been received and will be included in the administrative record for the Hollywood Center Project EIR.

Please be advised that the City has an established naming convention for email correspondence received on this Project, and will continue to use it as such. The number that follows the date of the emails indicates the time the email was sent.

Let me know if you have any further questions.

On Wed, Apr 29, 2020 at 7:43 PM Veronica Lebron < <u>Veronica@robertsilversteinlaw.com</u>> wrote:

Dear Ms. Nguyen:

The Silverstein Law Firm's letter of April 27, 2020 is incorrectly labeled in the Public Comments section of the running Administrative Record for the subject-referenced matter. Please change it so that it is consistent with the earlier sent letters from this firm labeled "R. Silverstein..." Please note that any letter sent from this email address ("veronica@robertsilversteinlaw.com") should be noted and considered sent by The Silverstein Law Firm.

- 20200417 1854 R. Silverstein Obj. to Comment Period
- o 20200427 1538 V. Lebron Further Objection to 45-Day Comment Period

Please also advise the significance of the number that follows the date of the letters submitted for this matter.

Thank you.

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