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GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Agenda April 13, 1999

ASSISTANTS

To: The Board of Supervisors

Re: Claim of Mrs. Wanda Renita Conaway-Knight, No. 899-103A

Original Document and associated materials are on file at the Clerk to the Board of Supervisors.

In regard to the abovereferenced claim, this is to recommend that the Board take the following action:

Mrs. Wanda Renita Conaway-Knight  
No. 899-103A

X 1. Deny the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.

Deny 2 the application to file a late claim on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.

Grant 3 the application to file a late claim on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.

\_\_\_\_\_ 4. Approve the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ and reject it as to the balance, if any, and refer to County Counsel.

5. Reject the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ as insufficiently filed and refer to County Counsel.

cc: Mark Tracy, Sheriff-Coroner

RISK MANAGEMENT

By Jane McKinley

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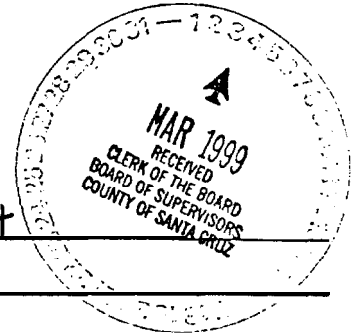
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899-103 A

CLAIM AGAINST THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ  
(Pursuant to Section 9 10 et Seq., Govt. Code)

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TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ  
ATTN: Clerk of the Board  
Governmental Center  
701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, CA 95060



1. Claimant's Name: Mrs. Wanda Renita Conaway-Knight  
Address: 9570 Glen Arbor Rd  
Ben Lomond, CA 95005  
Phone No: (831) 336-2557 message # 335-8093

P.O. Box to which notices are to be sent: 105 P.O. Box Ben Lomond, CA 95005

2. Occurrence: I was forced to go against a court order.  
Date: 11-6-98 Place: 534 Lakeview Dr Felton, CA 95018

Circumstances of occurrence or transaction giving rise to claim: My ex-husband wanted to remove our son Wayne James Knight out of Santa Cruz and I was going with the court order. Mr. Knight did not have a court order physical with him, I did and I showed it to the officer

4. General description of indebtedness, obligation, injury, damage or loss incurred so far as is now known:  
Child endangerment, sleep deprivation, fear and mistrust of officers of the law.

5. Name(s) of public employee(s) causing injury, damage or loss, if known: Deputy Martin Beltran

6. Amount claimed now ..... \$ 300,000  
Estimated amount of future loss, if known ..... % 300000  
TOTALS 600,000

7. Basis for above computations: Deputy Martin Beltran went against a court order which is breaking the law, a felony. Let Mr Knight take Wayne Knight out of Santa Cruz

8. If the amount claimed is over \$ 10,000, indicate the court of jurisdiction:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Municipal Court Santa Cruz \_\_\_\_\_ Superior Court

CLAIMANT'S SIGNATURE: Mrs. Wanda Renita Conaway-Knight

Note: Claim must be presented to Clerk, Board of Supervisors, within six (6) months after the act which occasioned the injury.

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ALAMEDA COUNTY

AUG 24 1998

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STANLEY KNIGHT

RONALD G. OVERHOLT, Exec. OK/Clerk  
By FRAN HYATT

8 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

10 In re the marriage of  
11 Petitioner: STANLEY KNIGHT  
12  
13 Respondent: WANDA KNIGHT

Case No. H-199536-7

ORDER AFTER HEARING

14 The matter having come regularly for hearing on August 5,  
15 1998, for review of custody and visitation issues. Present in  
16 court were the Petitioner and his attorney of record, Rita I.  
17 Harper, the Respondent appearing in Pro Per, the Honorable Judge  
18 John A. Burke, presiding.

19 Evidence was presented, argument was heard and good cause  
20 appearing the court made the following orders:

21 The court adopted the following. Family Court Services  
22 Recommendation prepared by Dr. Emily Hancock, and dated July 13,  
23 1998 and attached hereto:

24 1. The parties shall have joint legal and joint physical custody  
25 of the minor child, Wayne Knight, date of birth, January 24, 1990.  
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1 Visitation shall be as follows and shall take place under the  
2 following conditions:

3 (i) Petitioner shall continue to have visitation every  
4 weekend with the minor child. The minor child shall spend the  
5 remainder of the summer with Petitioner provided that:

6 (a) Until the case concerning the minor child, Wayne,  
7 and the child, Justin, is resolved, all visits between the minor  
8 child and his father shall take place in Santa Cruz.

9 2. Respondent shall have random drug and alcohol tests and is  
10 ordered to begin with a test on the day of hearing, i.e. August 5,  
11 1998. The results shall be released to Family Court Services. A  
12 missed test shall be considered a dirty test. A dirty test shall  
13 be considered grounds for a change in the minor child's custody  
14 arrangements.

15 3. The parties marriage is dissolved as to Status Only,  
16 effective August 5, 1998.

17 4. Respondent shall have two weeks to file a Response with the  
18 court or Petitioner shall take her default.

19 5. Respondent' is ordered to prepare a current Income and Expense  
20 Declaration.

21 Good cause appearing, it is so Ordered.

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DATED: AUG 2 41998

JOHN A. BURKE

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT