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GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Agenda September 21, 1999

To: Board of Supervisors

Re: **Claim of** Elaine Judd and Ronald Judd, No. 900-028

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

In regard to the above-referenced claim, this is to recommend that the Board take the following action:

- 1 ^X . Deny the claim of Elaine Judd and Ronald Judd, No. 900-028 and refer to County Counsel.
- 2 . Deny the application to file a late claim on behalf of _____ and refer to County Counsel.
- 3 . Grant 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 the balance, if any, and refer to County Counsel.
- 5 . Reject the claim of _____ as insufficiently filed and refer to County Counsel.

cc: Not County Jurisdiction

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By Janet McKinley

COUNTY COUNSEL

By Samuel Torres, Jr.

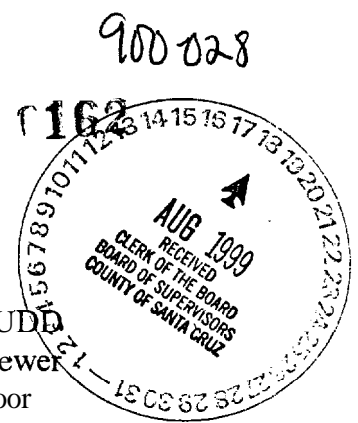
CLAIM AGAINST THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

(Government Code Section 910 et seq.)

Clerk of the Board - Board of Supervisors

701 Ocean St.

Santa Cruz, California 95060



CLAIMANTS: Name: ELAINE JUDD and RONALD JUDD
Address: c/o Homberger, Ghazarians & Brewer
444 South Flower Street, 3 1 st Floor
Los Angeles, California 9007 1-290 1

Name, address and phone number of person to receive notices concerning this Claim:

Homberger, Ghazarians & Brewer
Attention: Nicholas W. Homberger
James M. Slominski
444 South Flower Street, 3 1 st Floor
Los Angeles, California 9007 1
(213) 488-1655

Date/Time When Damage or Injury Occurred: April 3, 1999.

Location of Occurrence: At the Roaring Camp & Big Trees, Narrow Gauge Railroad, in Santa Cruz County in the State of California.

Circumstances of Occurrence: As a result of the dangerous condition created by or on property owned, maintained, or operated by the County of Santa Cruz the claimants were injured by flying debris.

Description of Loss, Damage or Injury: Severe physical injuries in the form of permanent brain damage, pain and suffering, medical expenses, and loss of earnings and earning capacity.

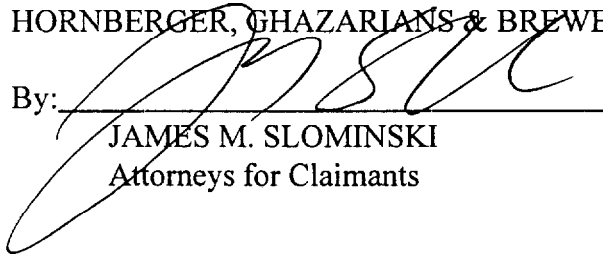
Name of Employee Causing Injury, Damage or Loss, if known: Unknown at this time.

Amount Claimed At Present Including Estimated Amount of Any Prospective Loss: Exceeds \$1 0,000.00; Jurisdiction would lie in the Superior Court for the State of California

Name(s), Address(es) of Witnesses, Doctors and/or Hospitals: Witnesses include the claimants, Marty and Carol Dullea at 3 Eaton Woods, East Kingston, NM 03827, Scott and Andera Dullea at 202 Auzio Road, Seaside, Ca. 93955, Ulli Wagner in Santa Cruz, Ca., Barnes Jewish Hospital, 183 1 Chestnut Street, St. Louis, MO. 63 103-2275, Stanford Hospital in Palo Alto, and possibly others. Investigation is continuing.

DATED: August 16, 1999

HORNBERGER, GHAZARIANS & BREWER

By: 
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Attorneys for Claimants