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## GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

### RECOMMENDED ACTION

Agenda April 9, 2002

To: Board of Supervisors

Re: Claim of Renee Sovak, No. 102-104

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. Reject the claim of \_\_\_\_\_ and refer to County Counsel.
- X   2. Deny the application to file a late claim on behalf of Renee Sovak, No. 102-104 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.

### RISK MANAGEMENT

cc: John Rhoads, Chief Probation Officer

By

Janet McKinley  
Janet McKinley, Risk Manager

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102-104

**APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A LATE CLAIM**

0038

***Pursuant to Section 911.4 of the Government Code***

TO: CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
 701 OCEAN STREET, ROOM 500  
 SANTA CRUZ, CA 95060

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RENÉE SOUAK hereby makes application for leave to present a late claim founded on a cause of action for REIMBURSEMENT OF OUT OF POCKET RENTAL EXPENSE which occurred on 7-3-2001 and for which a claim was not presented within six (6) months, (for death, injury to personal property or person or crops) or 1 year (any other cause of action), by Section 911.2, of the Government Code. For additional circumstances relating to the said cause of action, claimant refers to and hereby incorporates by reference, the proposed claim attached to this application.

Claimant hereby sets forth the following reasons why said claim was not timely presented:

I WAS DIRECTED BY MY INSURANCE COMPANY (USAA) TO SEND MY RENTAL BILL TO THEM & THEY WOULD FORWARD TO YOUR OFFICE. NOW I FIND THEY CANNOT INCLUDE A CLAIM FOR WHICH THEY DID NOT PAY. YOUR COOPERATION & UNDERSTANDING IS APPRECIATED.

Said application is being presented within a reasonable time after occurrence of said cause of action, not to exceed one year from the date of the occurrence giving rise to the claim.

**WHEREFORE**, claimant respectfully requests that said application be granted pursuant to Government Code 911.6 and that said claim which is hereby attached, be received and acted on in accordance with Sections 910 et seq., of the Government Code of the State of California.

DATED Jan 25, 2002

CLAIMANT Renée Souak