## **CITY of ALBUQUERQUE NINETEENTH COUNCIL**

COUNC	L BILL NO. <u>F/S R-11-275</u> ENACTMENT NO.
SPONSO	ORED BY: Garduño and Lewis
1	RESOLUTION
2	AFFIRMING THAT THE CITY COUNCIL AND THE MAYOR WILL WORK
3	COOPERATIVELY AND COLLABORATIVELY WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
4	(DOJ) SHOULD IT CHOOSE TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW INTO
5	WHETHER THERE HAS BEEN A PATTERN OR PRACTICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS
6	VIOLATIONS BY THE ALBUQUERQUE POLICE DEPARTMENT.
7	WHEREAS, the DOJ conducts "pattern or practice" investigations of local law
8	enforcement agencies if it determines that such investigations are warranted and DO.
9	involvement can bring about a sustained change where necessary; and
10	WHEREAS, the DOJ has begun reviewing whether a "pattern or practice"
11	investigation should be conducted with regard to the Albuquerque Police
12	Department; and
123	WHEREAS, should the DOJ choose to conduct a comprehensive review of APD
<u>}</u> <b>1 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3</b>	recruitment and training practices and operating procedures, the DOJ may identify
	issues that can be addressed by APD; and
# Condensed of the condense o	WHEREAS, the City Council has received concerns from public advocacy groups
	of systemic profiling and questions about whether APD Officers are receiving
<b>1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1</b>	appropriate training; and
	WHEREAS, a local law enforcement agency cannot be effective unless it
	reduces crime, protects individual constitutional rights and engenders public
<b>14</b>	confidence; and
	WHEREAS, a loss of the public's confidence in APD and its leadership will
Diackeled	have a devastating impact on the community; and
2 <b>4</b>	WHEREAS, should the DOJ choose to conduct an investigation, the City Council
<b>25</b>	and the Mayor will fully cooperate and will work collaboratively in regards to that
26	investigation.
27	BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF
28	ALBUQUERQUE:
29	The City Council joins the Mayor in affirming that the City will work cooperatively
30	and collaboratively with the DOJ should the DOJ choose to conduct an investigation

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- into patterns or practices of civil rights violations by the Albuquerque Police
  Department.
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