RESOLUTION NO..

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH LIFE TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION FOR VALIDATION OF THE GLOBAL FILER, THE AMPLIFICATION SYSTEM THAT WILL ALLOW THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE FORENSIC LABORATORY TO COMPLY WITH THE EXPANSION OF THE CODIS CORE LOCI, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$119,118, FOR A TERM COMMENCING FEBRUARY 23, 2016 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2016.

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

WHEREAS, the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI) has changed the requirements to enter DNA profiles into their database, the Combined DNA index System (CODIS); and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Office Forensic Laboratory has until January 1, 2017 to increase the number of core loci (DNA markers) entered into the database from 13 to 20; and

WHEREAS, the Forensic Laboratory is required by the FBI to upgrade the chemistry, instrumentation, and amplification kits; and

WHEREAS, the Forensic Laboratory tested other systems and determined that Life Technologies Corporation's Global Filer worked best with the instruments and computers already installed at the Forensic Laboratory; and

WHEREAS, your Board has been asked to waive the Request for Proposals

process in order to contract with Life Technologies Corporation for the provision of validating the amplification system that will allow the Forensic Laboratory to comply with the expansion of the CODIS Core Loci; and

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Board of Supervisors for its consideration and acceptance an agreement with Life Technologies Corporation in an amount not to exceed \$119,118, for a term commencing February 23, 2016 through December 31, 2016.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the County requirement for the Request for Proposals process for said agreement is hereby waived.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President of this Board of Supervisors be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo, and the Clerk of this Board shall attest the President's signature thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Sheriff or Sheriff's designee is authorized to execute contract amendments which modify the County's maximum fiscal obligation by no more than \$25,000 (in aggregate), and/or modify the contract term and/or services so long as the modified term or services is/are within the current or revised fiscal provisions.

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