## RESOLUTION NO. 2765

WHEREAS, the City Council acts as the local contract review board; and

WHEREAS, the board can exempt certain purchases from competitive bidding if it makes certain findings; and

WHEREAS, these findings are that the lack of bids will not result in favoritism or substantially diminish competition in awarding the contract; and

WHEREAS, the exemption will result in substantial cost savings.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL FINDS that:

- 1. There are a limited number of desk top radio console manufacturers and suppliers on the West Coast, and staff has contacted all of those that were located or identified.
- 2. The console listed on the State Purchase Agreement was compared with other units, considering capability and price.
- 3. The console with the lowest price meets the City's needs.
- 4. The exemption from competitive bidding requirements will result in substantial cost savings and prevent delay in completion of the radio system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council hereby waives the competitive bidding requirements for the purchase of a radio console for the Police Department.

DATED this 9th day of March, 1988.

Mayor

ATTEST: Recorder