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July 1, 2024

Mr. Leif Olson Chief Deputy Attorney General Attorney General's Office Hoover Bldg. LOCAL

Dear Mr. Olson:

The Executive Council, in a meeting held on this date, approved payment of the following cost items:

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA

Kristi Onstot

Kristi Onstot Executive Secretary

CC: Shean D. Fletchall, Transportation Section Chief, Attorney General's Office

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June 24, 2024

Kristi Onstot Executive Secretary Executive Council State Capitol L O C A L

Re: Payment of Claims for Fees by Special Counsel

Dear Kristi:

Our office requests Executive Council approval for payment of attorney fees of \$950.00 to Dentons Davis Brown PC, for providing legal services related to the logo of the Department of Transportation's Motor Vehicle Division. Because our office does not have staff with expertise in copyright, trademark and patent issues, the State retained Matthew Coryell of Dentons Davis Brown PC to perform similar work for several state agencies.

The amount of the claim appears to be reasonable. We have reviewed both the billing and the Services Agreement and recommend payment. Payment should be made from the Department of Transportation's funds and not from the General Fund.

Sincerely,

Leif Olson

Chief Deputy Attorney General

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June 25, 2024

Mr. Leif Olson Chief Deputy Attorney General Attorney General Office-Hoover Bldg. L O C A L

Re: Approval of attorney fees

Dear Mr. Olson:

I received the enclosed statement from Dentons Davis Brown PC for the following fees:

## <u>Registration of Trademark – Iowa DOT Logo</u>

| Current balance               | \$950.00 |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Waiting for AG recommendation | \$0.00   |
| Pending EC Approval           | \$0.00   |
| Claims in Process             | \$0.00   |
| Warrant sent                  | \$0.00   |
| Outstanding Total             | \$950.00 |

May I please have your recommendation of this payment request?

**EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF IOWA** 

Kristi Onstot

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**Executive Secretary** 

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### SHEAN D. FLETCHALL

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June 11, 2024

Victoria Newton Iowa Executive Council State Capitol, Room 114 Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Re: Registration of Trademark - Iowa DOT Logo (Stmt #1568906 - \$950)

Dear Ms. Newton:

Enclosed for your approval is a bill in the amount of \$950.00 for legal work performed by the Dentons Davis Brown firm on the above referenced trademark matter for the Iowa DOT.

Sincerely

SHEAM D. FLETCHALL Transportation Section Chief

SDF:cc Enclosure

vcc: Leif A. Olson, Chief Deputy Attorney General





In Account With

## **DENTONS DAVIS BROWN PC**

Attorneys and Counselors at Law 215 10th Street, Suite 1300 Des Moines, IA 50309-3993 (515) 288-2500 Federal I.D. No. 42-1343884 JUN 0 5 2024

ATTORNEY GENERAL

TEANSPORTATION DIVISION

Iowa Department of Transportation Shean Fletchall 800 Lincoln Way Ames, IA 50010 Statement: 1568906 Date: 5/31/2024

Re: 4247680-139961 - TM: DOT (logo) 2018

For Professional Services Rendered

| Professional F               | ees  |  |                       |       |        |           | Hours    |
|------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------|-------|--------|-----------|----------|
| 04/15/2024 ADR               | NDK Review matter; prepare specimens for filing with renewal documentation |  |                       |       |        |           |          |
| 04/15/2024 MC0               | and effect; Prep<br>registration; pre                                      | Prepare Affidavit of Continued Use under Section 8 required to maintain the registration in force and effect; Prepare Affidavit of Incontestability under Section 15 to improve protection afforded by registration; prepare supporting documentation; File Section 8 and 15 Affidavits with the United States Patent and Trademark Office |                       |       |        |           |          |
|                              |  |  |                       |       | Tota   | al Hours: | 2.50     |
|                              |  | Rate   | e Summary             |       |        |           |          |
| Matthew W. Cory              | ell  | 2.00 ho  | urs at \$210.00/hr    |       |        | 420.00    |          |
| Angela D. Kenin              |  | 0.50 ho  | urs at \$210.00/hr    |       |        | 105.00    |          |
|                              | Total hours:   | 2.50   |                       |       |        |           |          |
| Expenses                     |  |  |                       | Units | Price  | Amount    |          |
| 04/16/2024                   | Payment for filing fee   | e for Section 8/   | 15 filed on April 15, | 1.00  | 425.00 | 425.00    |          |
| Sub-total Expenses: \$425.00 |  |  |                       |       |        | \$425.00  |          |
|                              | Total Current Billing:   |  |                       |       |        |           | \$950.00 |