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Councillor Toronto-Danforth Ward 30

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Councillor Michael Thompson
Economic Development Committee
100 Queen Street West
Toronto, ON
M5H 2N2

Dear Chair and Members,

Re: Options for Film Studio Infrastructure Report

The rapid growth of the film, television and digital media industry has led to a sharp increase in demand for infrastructure to support the sector. Other factors including new developments, displacement of studios due to Port Lands Flood Protection, and changes in ownership have combined to create immediate and immense pressures on studio capacity for the industry.

Economic Development has been working with N. Barry Lyons Consulting to develop an action plan to address these capacity pressures.

I ask the Committee to support the following motion:

1) City Council request that the General Manager, Economic Development and Culture provide a further update report to April 13, 2018 Economic Development and Culture on the results of the Option for Film Studio Infrastructure report by N. Barry Lyon Consultants.

Thank you for your consideration and continued support of this vital sector.

Sincerely,

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