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BED has experienced rapid growth in the regulation of energy efficiency programs since it was re-appointed as an energy efficiency utility in 2010. As a result of the Public Service Board (PSB) establishing an arm's-length relationship with the efficiency utilities (BED & VEIC) through that process, the amount of state-required regulatory interaction has grown exponentially, and is expected to increase for the foreseeable future. We have spread that responsibility over program management & legal staff to date, but this has become a full-time responsibility and we are currently in danger of falling behind regulatory requirements in this area.

As with all of BED's energy efficiency program activities, the funding for this position would come entirely from the PSB-managed Energy Efficiency Charge. The funds for this activity are already within BED's PSB-approved plan for CY'13 – '15 and no other BED or other City funds would be required.

The position description is attached. We would like to move ahead with this as quickly as possible.

Please feel free to direct any questions to Tom Buckley,
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Thank you

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara L. Grimes".

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