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**APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO PRESENT A LATE CLAIM - Per California Government Code §911.4, Resubmitted Government Claim**

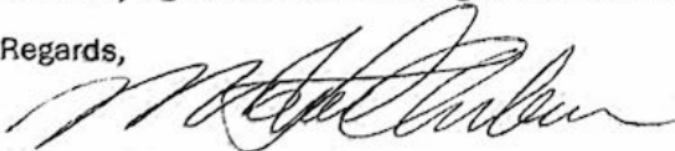
The claimant did not file within six months but instead filed within seven months because the claimant raised the issue directly with the City of Lodi Streets Department and Finance Department shortly after the incident (same business day, and then followed up again within two business days) and was awaiting requested documentation and clarification from the City. The claimant provided written complaint via email, and then was informed of options to file formally by the Finance Department and option to resolve via only the documents given by the Streets Department.

Thereafter the claimant was in three rounds of communication with the State of California Department of Motor Vehicle (DMV) administration via mail, which took months for responses to arrive and follow up for each round, paid additional taxes to try to obtain a legal title. The claimant reasonably believed the matter was under review and might be resolved without litigation.

Once it became clear that the issue would not be resolved informally with the City of Lodi and could not be resolved formally with State of California DMV, the claimant promptly prepared and submitted this claim at earliest available time for attention to this matter. From November of 2025 through late February 2026, the claimant's mother was hospitalized / intensive care at Hennepin County, Minnesota, then in Chicago, Illinois. The delay was the result of reasonable reliance and excusable neglect, not intentional delay.

This appeal is submitted within one year of the auction transaction that resulted in a legally unusable vehicle due to the City of Lodi failing to deliver the title to the vehicle, even though the claimant had paid in good faith all consideration, taxes, fees and dues, and incurred other buying costs in transferring the vehicle from California to Colorado.

Regards,



Misheel Chuluun.

