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**BEVERLY HILLS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT ATTORNEY KEVIN BROGAN
RESPONDS TO RELEASE OF METRO PRESENTATION**

BEVERLY HILLS, CA, MARCH 19, 2012 – Beverly Hills Unified School District attorney Kevin Brogan today issued the following statement in response to a presentation by Metro:

Metro is putting process and politics ahead of substance and safety by recklessly pressing ahead with a so-called 'final' EIR. Metro's continued reliance on flawed studies and information to justify a more expensive station that benefits politically-connected developers at the expense of everyone else – including future generations of public schoolchildren is unacceptable and will not go unchallenged. If Metro were really interested in safety and in 'getting it right' it would have waited a few weeks for the results of detailed seismic studies conducted by experts retained by the Beverly Hills Unified School District which have already identified substantial flaws in Metro's analysis.

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