Order of Boston City Councillor Charles C. Yancey
Regarding the Law Enforcement Trust Fund

Whereas: The Law Enforcement Trust Fund has been established to serve as the repository for forfeited assets which were confiscated by the Boston Police Department, and

Whereas: proceeds from drug busts are deposited in this account, and

Whereas: assets from drug busts are derived from an illicit drug trade in Boston which has devastated and destroyed many individuals, families and communities in Boston, and

Whereas: the city's resources for drug treatment on demand is extremely limited, and be it therefore

Ordered: that a hearing be held by the appropriate committee to discuss the law enforcement trust fund including the following:

1. Amount of cash and other assets seized each year between 1996 and fiscal year to date 2010

2. Amount of cash and other assets forfeited each year between 1996 and fiscal year to date 2010

3. Itemized expenditures from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for each year between 1996 and fiscal year to date 2010

April 14, 2010