

BOARD of SUPERVISORS



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MEMORANDUM

RULES COMMITTEE

SAN FRANCISCO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

TO: Supervisor David Campos, Chair
Rules Committee

FROM: Linda Wong, Committee Clerk

DATE: May 7, 2010

SUBJECT: **COMMITTEE REPORT, BOARD MEETING**
Tuesday, May 11, 2010

The following file should be presented as **COMMITTEE REPORT** at the Board meeting on Tuesday, May 11, 2010. This item was acted upon at the Committee Meeting on Thursday, May 6, 2010 at 10:00 a.m., by the vote indicated.

Item No. 26 File No. 100522

[Appointment, Board of Appeals - Christine Hwang]

Motion appointing Christine Hwang, term ending July 1, 2014, to the Board of Appeals.
(Clerk of the Board)

Christine Hwang, seat 2, succeeding Rafael Mandelman, must be a nominee of the President of the Board of Supervisors approved by the Board of Supervisors, for the term ending on July 1, 2014.

RECOMMENDED AS COMMITTEE REPORT

Vote: Campos – Aye
Alioto-Pier – Aye
Mar - Aye

c: Angela Calvillo, Clerk of the Board
Cheryl Adams, Deputy City Attorney
Board of Supervisors
Rick Caldeira, Legislative Deputy Director

File No. 100522

Committee Item No. 1

Board Item No. 26

COMMITTEE/BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

AGENDA PACKET CONTENTS LIST

Committee: Rules

Date May 6, 2010

Board of Supervisors Meeting

Date May 11, 2010

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Completed by: Linda Wong

Date May 3, 2010

Completed by: L.W.

Date 5/7/10

An asterisked item represents the cover sheet to a document that exceeds 25 pages. The complete document is in the file.

1 [Appointment, Board of Appeals]
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3 **Motion appointing Christine Hwang, term ending July 1, 2014, to the Board of Appeals.**
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5 WHEREAS, Pursuant to Charter Section 4.106, the Board of Supervisors President
6 has submitted a communication notifying the Board of Supervisors of the nomination of
7 Christine Hwang to the Board of Appeals, received by the Clerk of the Board on April 22,
8 2010; and

9 WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors, by Motion 02-80 established a process to
10 review the President's nomination to the Board of Appeals; now, therefore, be it

11 MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the President's appointment
12 of Christine Hwang to the Board of Appeals for the term ending July 1, 2014.
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City and County of San Francisco
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**Application For Boards, Commissions and Committees**

Application for Appointment to: Board of Appeals  
 Name of Board, Commission, Committee, or Task Force

Seat # or Category (If Applicable): 2

Print Name: Christine S. Hwang

Home Address: Winfield Street Zip 94110

Home Phone: 415 Occupation: lawyer

Work Phone: 415-771-6400 Employer: Leonard Carder, LLP

Business Address: 1188 Franklin Street, Suite 201, SF Zip: 94109

E-Mail Address: @gmail.com Fax #: 415-771-7010

Are you a United States citizen?  Yes  No (Citizenship is a mandatory requirement for all appointments)  
 Have you ever been convicted of a felony in this state, or convicted of any offense which, if committed in this state, would be a felony?  
 Yes  No. (If yes, please attach a statement describing the offense(s) for which you have been convicted, the date of those conviction(s), and the court(s) that convicted you.)

Education: Please see resume (attached).

Business and/or professional experience: "

Civic Activities: '

Other Personal Information: (optional) "

Ethnicity: (optional) Korean-American Sex: (optional)  M  F

Have you attended any meetings of the Board/Commission to which you wish appointment?  Yes  No  
 Would you be able to attend night meetings? Yes Day meetings? Either  
 Please state your qualifications (attach supplemental sheet if necessary) Please see resume (attached)

For appointments by the Board of Supervisors, appearance before the RULES COMMITTEE is a requirement before any appointment can be made. (Applications must be received 10 days before the scheduled hearing.)

Date: 4/16/10 Applicant's Signature: (required) [Signature]  
 Please Note: Your application will be retained for one year.

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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Appointed to Seat #: _____ Term Expires: _____ Date Seat was Vacated: _____

CHRISTINE S. HWANG

Winfield Street, San Francisco, CA 94110 (415)

@gmail.com

EXPERIENCE

Leonard Carder, LLP, Partner (July 2007 to present); Associate (February 2002 to July 2007);
San Francisco, California

- *ERISA Advice and Compliance*: Work with and advise boards of trustees, trustee subcommittees, and fund managers of employee benefit plans on a variety of ERISA compliance issues, including Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act, Pension Protection Act, COBRA, QDROs, HIPAA, Medicare Part D, Fraud and DOL audits, as well as numerous participant issues, including communications, eligibility, benefit calculations, and distributions. Assist in formulating and drafting plan documents, amendments, procedures, and employer communications, and reviewing service provider agreements. Attend board and committee meetings.
- *ERISA Litigation*: Represent boards of trustees in benefit claim and fiduciary breach litigation. Prosecute all stages of collection litigation. Conduct discovery, draft summary judgment briefs and default judgment motions, conduct post-judgment enforcement, and settlement negotiations.
- *Union Representation*: Represent unions in all matters of litigation, including arbitration. Provide advice regarding numerous state and federal employment laws and regulations including occupational health and safety, family leave, and military leave.

National Center for Lesbian Rights, Staff Attorney (February 1998 to August 2001)
San Francisco, California

- Represented individuals in trial and appellate litigation.
- Provided advice and technical assistance to community advocates and cooperating counsel.
- Prepared position statements relating to state and federal legislation and regulation relevant to lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender issues.

Contra Costa County Public Defender, Alternate Defender Office, Death Penalty Research & Motions Clerk (March 1997 to February 1998) Martinez, California

- Researched and prepared pre-trial death penalty motions.
- Assisted senior Deputy Public Defenders in all matter of litigation.

EDUCATION

University of California, Hastings College of the Law, J.D., 1996

- Editor, Hastings Women's Law Journal
- Public Interest Law Certificate

Dartmouth College, A.B., Russian Studies, 1991

ADMISSIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS

- California State Bar (1996)
- U.S. Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit Court
- U.S. District Courts for the Northern, Eastern and Central Districts of California
- AFL-CIO, Lawyers Coordinating Committee
- ABA, Section of Labor and Employment Law
- California Bar Association, Labor and Employment Section
- International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans
- Asian American Bar Association, Civil Rights Committee 1993-2003 (Co-Chair 2000-01)
- International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission 2000-2003

President, Board of Supervisors
District 3




DAVID CHIU

邱信福 · 市參事主席

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BY  _____



April 22, 2010

Angela Cavillo, Clerk, Board of Supervisors
City and County of San Francisco
1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244
San Francisco, CA 94102

To the Board of Supervisors,

Pursuant to the San Francisco Charter Section 4.106 I am pleased to nominate Christine S. Hwang to complete the unexpired balance of Rafael Mandelman's term, which concludes on July 10, 2010, as well as the subsequent four-year term on the Board of Appeals.

Based on her extensive experience in the legal field as Partner at Leonard Carder, LLP, as a staff attorney for the National Center for Lesbian Rights, and as a staffer in the Contra Costa Public Defender's office, I am confident Ms. Hwang will make an exceptional Commissioner.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "David Chiu".

David Chiu
President

Cc: Supervisor David Campos, Rules Committee

COVER PAGE

A Public Document

Please type or print in ink.

NAME (LAST)	(FIRST)	(MIDDLE)	DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER		
Hwang	Christine	S.	(415)		
MAILING ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable)	STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	OPTIONAL: E-MAIL ADDRESS
Winfield Street		San Francisco	CA	94110	@gmail.com

1. Office, Agency, or Court

Name of Office, Agency, or Court:
Board of Appeals

Division, Board, District, if applicable:

Your Position:
Commissioner

► If filing for multiple positions, list additional agency(ies)/ position(s): (Attach a separate sheet if necessary.)

Agency: _____

Position: _____

2. Jurisdiction of Office (Check at least one box)

State

County of San Francisco

City of San Francisco

Multi-County _____

Other _____

3. Type of Statement (Check at least one box)

Assuming Office/Initial Date: ____/____/____

Annual: The period covered is January 1, 2009, through December 31, 2009.

-OR-

The period covered is ____/____/____, through December 31, 2009.

Leaving Office Date Left: ____/____/____ (Check one)

The period covered is January 1, 2009, through the date of leaving office.

-OR-

The period covered is ____/____/____, through the date of leaving office.

Candidate Election Year: _____

4. Schedule Summary

► Total number of pages including this cover page: 3

► Check applicable schedules or "No reportable interests."

I have disclosed interests on one or more of the attached schedules:

Schedule A-1 Yes – schedule attached
Investments (Less than 10% Ownership)

Schedule A-2 Yes – schedule attached.
Investments (10% or Greater Ownership)

Schedule B Yes – schedule attached
Real Property

Schedule C Yes – schedule attached
Income, Loans, & Business Positions (Income Other than Gifts and Travel Payments)

Schedule D Yes – schedule attached
Income – Gifts

Schedule E Yes – schedule attached
Income – Gifts – Travel Payments

-OR-

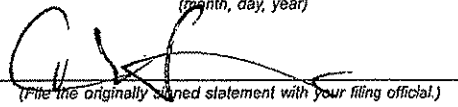
No reportable interests on any schedule

5. Verification

I have used all reasonable diligence in preparing this statement. I have reviewed this statement and to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein and in any attached schedules is true and complete.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date Signed April 27, 2010
(month, day, year)

Signature 
(File the originally signed statement with your filing official.)

**SCHEDULE A-1
Investments**

Stocks, Bonds, and Other Interests
(Ownership Interest is Less Than 10%)

Do not attach brokerage or financial statements.

<p>CALIFORNIA FORM 700 FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION</p> <p>Name <u>Hwang, Christine S.</u></p>
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▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
Charles Schwab

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS ACTIVITY
investment house/all sectors, presumably

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
 Stock Other ishares/ETFs
(Describe)

Partnership Income of \$0 - \$500
 Income Received of \$500 or More (Report on Schedule C)

IF APPLICABLE, LIST DATE:
 / / 09 / / 09
 ACQUIRED DISPOSED

▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS ACTIVITY

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NATURE OF INVESTMENT
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(Describe)

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IF APPLICABLE, LIST DATE:
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 ACQUIRED DISPOSED

▶ NAME OF BUSINESS ENTITY
Leonard Carder LLP

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS ACTIVITY
legal services/law firm

FAIR MARKET VALUE
 \$2,000 - \$10,000 \$10,001 - \$100,000
 \$100,001 - \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000

NATURE OF INVESTMENT
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(Describe)

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Comments: _____

SCHEDULE C
Income, Loans, & Business
Positions
 (Other than Gifts and Travel Payments)

CALIFORNIA FORM 700
 FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

Name
 Hwang, Christine S.

1. INCOME RECEIVED	1. INCOME RECEIVED
NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME Leonard Carder, LLP	NAME OF SOURCE OF INCOME
ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable) 1188 Franklin Street, Suite 201	ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable)
BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE Lawyer	BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF SOURCE
YOUR BUSINESS POSITION Partner	YOUR BUSINESS POSITION
GROSS INCOME RECEIVED <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 - \$1,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,001 - \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,001 - \$100,000 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OVER \$100,000	GROSS INCOME RECEIVED <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 - \$1,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,001 - \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,001 - \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> OVER \$100,000
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2. LOANS RECEIVED OR OUTSTANDING DURING THE REPORTING PERIOD

* You are not required to report loans from commercial lending institutions, or any indebtedness created as part of a retail installment or credit card transaction, made in the lender's regular course of business on terms available to members of the public without regard to your official status. Personal loans and loans received not in a lender's regular course of business must be disclosed as follows:

NAME OF LENDER* _____ ADDRESS (Business Address Acceptable) _____ BUSINESS ACTIVITY, IF ANY, OF LENDER _____ HIGHEST BALANCE DURING REPORTING PERIOD <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 - \$1,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,001 - \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,001 - \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> OVER \$100,000	INTEREST RATE TERM (Months/Years) _____% <input type="checkbox"/> None _____ SECURITY FOR LOAN <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Personal residence <input type="checkbox"/> Real Property _____ <small style="margin-left: 150px;">Street address</small> _____ <small style="margin-left: 150px;">City</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Guarantor _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <small style="margin-left: 150px;">(Describe)</small>
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Comments: _____

San Francisco
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Date Printed: December 10, 2008

Date Established:

July 1, 2002

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BOARD OF APPEALS

Contact and Address:

Cynthia Goldstein Executive Director
1650 Mission Street #304
San Francisco, CA 94103

Phone: (415) 557-5688

Fax: (415) 575-6885

Email: cynthia.goldstein@sfgov.org

Authority:

Charter Section 4.106-per Prop D. Election March 5, 2002

Board Qualifications:

The Board of Appeals consists of five members, two nominated by the President of the Board of Supervisors and three members nominated by the Mayor. Each nomination of the Mayor and the President of the Board of Supervisors is subject to approval by the Board of Supervisors. If the Board fails to act on the nomination within 60 days of the date the nomination is transmitted to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, the nominee shall be deemed approved.

In order to stagger the terms the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors shall determine by lot which two of the three Mayoral appointees shall serve an initial two-year term, and which one of the two appointees of the President of the Board of Supervisors shall serve an initial-two year term. The remaining appointees shall serve four-year terms. All subsequent terms shall be four years.

The appointees of both the Mayor and the President of the Board of Supervisors shall take office at 12 o'clock noon on the first day of July 2002.

The Board of Appeals, a quasi-judicial panel, decides appeals of permits, variances, zoning determinations and other department actions at public hearings.

Compensation: \$50.00 per meeting

Sunset Date: None

"R Board Description" (Screen Print)

San Francisco
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Reports: None referenced.

