

1 [Initiative Petition Circulator Identification Requirements.]

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3 **Ordinance amending the Municipal Elections Code by adding section 335 to require**
4 **initiative petition circulators to display a badge disclosing whether they are volunteer**
5 **or paid circulators.**

6 Note: Additions are *single-underline italics Times New Roman*;
7 deletions are *strikethrough italics Times New Roman*.
8 Board amendment additions are double underlined.
9 Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough normal~~.

9 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

10 Section 1. The San Francisco Municipal Elections Code is hereby amended by adding
11 Section 335, to read as follows:

12 **SEC. 335. CIRCULATOR IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

13 *Every person is guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500, who,*
14 *circulating, as a principal or agent, or having charge or control of the circulation of, or obtaining*
15 *signatures to, any City initiative, referendum or recall petition, intentionally fails to display in a font*
16 *and size that is clearly legible to the intended public an identification badge on his or her outermost*
17 *piece of clothing that includes the words "VOLUNTEER CIRCULATOR" if the person is not being paid*
18 *to circulate the petition or "PAID CIRCULATOR" if the person is being paid to circulate the petition.*

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